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MONTH DAMP BUT PEACEFUL

POLICE REPORT SHOWS NO ARRESTS IN SEPTEMBER.

ALSO WITHOUT FIRES

With Only One More Month Until New Taxes Come In, City Now Has Balance of $58,813.

September may have been damp, but it also was peaceful, according to the reports of B. F. Dougan, chief of police, and J. H. Sayler, police judge, submitted at the regular monthly meeting of the City Council last night.

Not a single arrest was made during the month, the reports show. Apparently the rain which dampened everything else also dampened quarrelsome spirits, appetites for "white mule" and desires for speed.

The month claimed another distinction in that there were no fires.

The police report showed that twenty-four dogs had been killed since the passage of an emergency ordinance by the council, requiring that all dogs be restrained from running at large until after the danger of a rabies epidemic has passed.

Mayor W. O. Garrett reported tax collections of $154.60, and the city scales brought in $17.75.

With only one more month to go until 1926 taxes become due, in November, the city has a treasury balance of $58,813.33, Mayor Garrett's report showed.

The Water department in September had receipts of $3,049.76, and at the end of the month had a balance of $38,888.43. Balances in other funds were as follows:

Street fund, $1,983.65; library fund, $1,731.25; general fund, $9,558.69; first water bond principal, $3,725.51; first water bond interest, $811.91; street workers guarantee fund, $301; street lighting, $915.14; second water bond principal, $847.01; second water bond interest, $43.50; petty cash, $12.26.

Two Men Arrested for Other Counties

George Lucas was arrested at Barnard by Sheriff Lowell B. Campbell for E. D. Reed, city marshal, at Grimes, Iowa., on a charge of stealing a shotgun and bearing a board bill. The charges against Lucas were dismissed when he settled the board bill a shotgun and beating a board bill of the Grimes authorities. Lucas is a laborer.

Charles Fisher was arrested by Sheriff Campbell for Sheriff D. W. McKinnon of Trenton, Mo., in a charge of giving a bad check. Fisher was also released when the check was made good by direction of the Trenton sheriff.

Mrs. George Colbert Directs Church Play

Mrs. George Colbert directed and produced the one-act play, "The Obstinate Family," which was presented at the First Presbyterian Church Thursday night. Before the play Miss Roma Vinsant, instructor of violin in the State Teachers College, gave two selections. She was accompanied by Mrs. Carrie Margaret Caldwell. Floyd Lunsford sang two solos. He was accompanied by Mrs. Lunsford.

In the play Martin Lewis, jr., took the part of the butler and Mrs. W. N. Dewar was the maid. Mrs. Charles Haggard and J. H. Knox portrayed the parts of the parents of the bride. The bride was Mrs. William Van Cleve and her husband, William T. Van Cleve. Following the play the cast entertained with a dinner at the church.

M. E. Sunday School Rally Is Tomorrow

The Sunday School of the First Methodist Church will hold a rally day tomorrow when the new officers will be installed and promotion of various classes will take place. Brumbaugh's Orchestra will funish the music. A quartet composed of Misses Lucille Gaugh and Audrey Stiwalt, Paul Neal and William Gaugh, will sing.

The new officers to be installed are: superintendent, J. W. Hake; assistant superintendent, Emmett Scott; secretary, Miss Mabel Gay; treasurer, Miss Emma Hull; pianist, Miss Gertrude Wray; assistant pianist, G. E. Brumbaugh.

Rain, Rain, Rain, and Still More Moisture

Precipitation Up To 12:30 o'clock Measured 1.11 Inches, According To J. R. Brink, Observer.

The rainfall this morning up to 12:30 o'clock amounted to 1.11 inches, according to J. R. Brink, weather observer. It was still raining this afternoon.

It was thought that with a new month, the rainy weather would stop.

The forecast is partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, probably becoming unsettled by Sunday night; moderate temperature.

TO CONTRACT FOR GRADING

RAVENWOOD ROAD INCLUDED IN OCTOBER LETTING.

SURVEY IS COMPLETED

Number of Right-of-Way Deeds Already Secured—Route To Be Same As Present One.

A contract for the grading and bridging of eight miles of the Maryville, Ravenwood road will be let this month, by the State Highway Commission, according to word received here.

A number of right-of-way deeds for the necessary land have already been secured and condemnation proceedings will be taken to secure the remainder.

The survey for the road has been completed. The route is the same as the present road and is described by the highway commission as follows:

"Beginning at the intersection of the center line of the surveyed state highway and the center of the 102 River, said point being 908 feet east of the northwest corner of Section 22, township 64 north, range 35 west, thence south 89 degrees 27 minut[illegible] east five thousand four hundred seventy-five feet, thence north 89 degrees 10 minutes, east 7,911.65 feet, thence northerly on a curve having a radius of 5,729.6 feet and extending 266.65 feet, thence north 86 degrees 54 minutes, east 2,019.2 feet, thence southerly on a curve having a radius of 5,729.6 feet and extending 285 feet, thence north 89 degrees 45 minutes, east 4,282.5 feet, thence north 88 degrees 47 minutes, east 17,691.4 feet, thence in a northeasterly direction on a curve having a radius of 2,864.9 feet and extending 811.6 feet, thence north 72 degrees 33 minutes east 902 feet to a point 1,275 feet east of and 275 feet north of the quarter section corner side of Section 23, Township 64 north, Range 34 west."

The right-of-way will be sixty feet in width, thirty feet on each side of the center line of the highway.

If the contract for grading and bridging is let this month, work will get under way this fall.

Tomorrow's Game by Radio to Begin Here at 1 o'Clock

Radio returns of the second game between the St. Louis Cardinals and the New York Yankees to be played tomorrow at New York, will be received by The Democrat-Forum. The time of the game is 2 o'clock, or 1 o'clock Maryville time.

Alleged Bad Check Writer Bound Over

Earl Jennings, charged with writing a bogus check, was arraigned before Judge J. H. Sayler, justice of peace, this afternoon. He waived his preliminary hearing and was bound over until the October term of court under bond of $1,000.

President Won't Try To Cut Army Funds

At Same Time, Mr. Coolidge Will Continue to Insist on Economy—Appropriations to Be About Same.

Washington, Oct. 2.—The annual battle between the military services and the budget bureau reached such alarming proportions today that the White House intervened with a pacifying statement.

President Coolidge let it be known he would permit no destruction of his economy program but at the same time he would not insist on cutting the present army strength of 118,000 men.

This was interpreted to mean that Mr. Coolidge intends to keep the appropriations at approximately their present levels.

PRIZE CALF IS SELECTED

ANGUS FED BY RAVENWOOD LAD IS GIVEN FIRST PLACE.

4H ACHIEVEMENT DAY

Roy Eldon Moore's Entry Considered Best of Baby Beeves Shown Today—Garment Awards Made.

Roy Eldon Moore's Angus calf was awarded first place in the Baby Beef Show held in Maryville this afternoon in connection with the 4-H Club Activity Day. Others, also prize winners which will be sent to St. Joseph to compete in the Interstate Baby Beef Show include; a shorthorn calf fed by Fred Espey, of Maryville; and hereford calves fed by Myron Crater, and Landis Burch, Ravenwood, and Harley Garrard, Parnell.

Young Moore, who lives at Ravenwood, proudly led his calf away from the show ring in the Star barn with the four other prize winners after the judging, which was witnessed by more than an hundred persons, had been completed.

Maurice Berg had fed a calf which was eligible for competition in the show but because he had won a previous contest and some persons thought he should not enter this year's show his father, W. A. Berg did not allow the calf to be exhibited.

Rain, which for the last thirty days has been interfering with athletic events, motor travel, train service and pleasant dispositions put in its appearance in time today to hamper the annual 4H Club achievement day.

It had been planned to conduct the Baby Beef Show on Mai nstreet just west of the courthouse but the steady drizzle made that impossible. Instead, the calves and pigs are being exhibited in the Star Barn on East Second street. There 28 fine baby beeves and five litters of pigs are to be seen.

Most of the entries in the Baby Beef show were in their stalls early today and the latter part of the morning and this afternoon the young owners spent much time brushing and combing the calves. Because of the muddy roads only a few litters of pigs could be brought into Maryville.

Straw had been thrown on the floor of the carriage storage space in the barn and the calves are being exhibited there during the judging. The first five prize winners will be sent to St. Josept to compete in the Interstate Baby Beef and Pig Show. From the other calves fifteen will be selected as a carlot. Others will be taken to St. Joseph there to be sold at auction.

Cash prizes, subscribed by Maryville merchants, to be awarded for winners will be: First, $15; second, $12.50; third, $10; fourth, $7.50; fifth, $6, and $5 each for calves exhibited.

S. F. Russel, animal husbandry expert, from the Missouri College of Agriculture at Columbia, is judging the beef and pig exhibits.

Garments made by the girls in the 4H Clubs were exhibited in the Robinson building on North Main street Miss Lois Martin, and Miss Sara Chiles, of Columbia, were in charge of the judging.

The list of prize winners follows:

Garment Making I.

Tea towel: Evelyn Evans, Rockford, first; Irena Bailey, Rockford, second.

Hand towel: Xetah Kelly, Myrtle Tree, first; Dorothy Alice Cravens, Castile, second.

Napkin: Elizabeth Noblett, Graham, first; Evelyn Evans, Rockford, second.

Pillow cases: Evelyn Evans, Rockford, first; Xetah Kelly, Myrtle Tree, second.

Dresser scarf: Evelyn Evans, Rockford, first; Dorothy Alice Cravens, second.

Sewing aprons: Marjorie Bennett, Graham, first; Dorothy Alice Cravens, Castile, second.

Bungalow apron: Elizabeth Noblett, Graham, first; Mary Alice Jones, Rockford, second.

Table runner; Irene Bailey, Rockford, first; Mary Alice Jones, Rockford, second.

Laundry bag: Xetah Kelly, Myrtle Tree, first; Frances Shamberger, Rockford, second.

Dust cap: Elizabeth Noblett, Graham, first; Marjorie Bennett, Graham, second.

Kitchen apron: Delberta Mutz, Rockford, first; Frances Shamberger, Rockford, second.

Darn: Ivan Keller, Graham, first; Lois Dakan, Rockford, second.

Patch: Evelyn Evans, Rockford, first; Mary Alice Jones, Rockford, second.

Garment Making II.

Night gown: Frances Mowry, Graham, first; Ethel Pennington, second.

Princess slips: Frances Mowry, first; Lola Acklin, second.

Wash dress (set in sleeves): Jeane Harvey, first; Frances Mowry, second.

Bloomers: Jeane Harney, first; first; Frances Mowry, second.

All the prize winners are from Graham as the club there is the only second year group in the county.

YANKS TAKE FIRST GAME

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS GO DOWN IN 2-1 DEFEAT.

PENNOCK IS IN FORM

Left Hander Pitches Masterful Game.—Sherdel Effective but Wildness Is Costly.

New York, Oct. 2.—Herbert Pennock, southpaw mainstay of the New York Yankees' pitching staff, turned in one of the most masterful hurling performances of his career today, and the St. Louis Cardinals lost the first game of the world series, 2 to 1.

The game was a duel between left handers. Sherdel pitched well enough for the Cardinals to win an ordinary game but he was bested by Pennock, who held the Cardinal sluggers to three hits.

Sherdel's wildness was responsible for the first Yank run. In succession he gave bases on balls to Combs, Ruth and Meusel, and Combs scored when Gehrig was thrown out at first.

The Cardinals had scored their only run in their half of the opening inning when Douthit doubled, went to third on Southworth's sacrifice and crossed the plate on Bottomley's single.

The second Yank run came in the sixth, when Ruth singled, advanced on Meusel's sacrifice and scored on Gehrig's single.

The Cardinals threatened in the eighth when they succeeded in getting men on first and second, but Pennock weathered the storm.

By innings:

St. Louis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-3-1
New York	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	x	2-6-0

Missouri and Tulane Tied, 0-0, First Half

Missouri Has Edge and Southerners Are Dangerous But Once—Field Is Water Soaked.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 2.—In a soaking rain, the Missouri Tigers and the Greenies of Tulane University, pride of southern football circles, played to a scoreless tie in the first half of their intersectional game here today.

Columbia, Oct. 2.—Missouri and Tulane fought through a scoreless first half in their game here today. A steady rain which fell for two hours before the game left the field water soaked but its sawdust top stood up well under the players' fleeting shoes and fumbles were few. The backfield men did fairly well in their offensive.

Most of the first half was played in Tulane's territory, the Tigers starting with a desperate drive down the field. Tulane was dangerous but once. After a fifteen-yard penalty had given the Tulane ball ball on Missouri's 20-yard line, the Tigers held for three downs and then a forward pass failed. Missouri then punted out of danger.

British "Uncivilized" When Visiting France

London, Oct. 2.—That the Continental comic papers have some justification for their cartoons of the British tourists abroad, is the candid admission of a returning English traveler.

"Where do all our queer types come from?" he demanded in a letter to the press. "I have seen Britons abroad that looked and acted as though they had stepped out of a funny paper.

"I have seen Britons sitting in their shirt sleeves before the cafes in Paris; Paris is gay, but Paris is conventional, and does not like to see men in undress.

"No respectable Frenchwoman ever smokes in front of a cafe, but British and American women do so constantly.

M. E. Ford went to Savannah today.

OIL MEN LOSE IN U. S. COURT

SINCLAIR, FALL AND DOHENY NEARER TO TRIAL.

MAY TAKE AN APPEAL

Criminal Charges Arising Out Of Teapot Dome Scandal Will Probably Go To Supreme Court.

Washington, Oct. 2.—The government won another round today in the long legal battle to bring to trial the defendants in the oil scandal.

The District Court of Appeals sustained the government's motion to dismiss a special appeal which had been taken by attorneys for Harry F. Sinclair, Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of Interior, and Edward L. Doheny, against the criminal indictments pending against them.

Unless attorneys for the indicted men now carry their appeal against today's decision to the United States Supreme Court, which is probable, it means that Fall, Sinclair and Doheny will have to go to trial in criminal court on the indictments.

The court's action was predicated on a new law passed in the last Congress at the instance of Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, who worked up the oil scandal. This law deprives the court of appeals of its power to grant special appeals in criminal cases. Attorneys for the indicted men had attacked the new law as a legislative invasion of judicial functions.

No written opinion was handed down in today's decision, the court merely granting the oral motion of the government to dismiss the special appeal which Justice Stafford granted some months ago.

Today's decision covers all the indictments that are pending against the accused, including that one which charges Doheny and Fall of bribery and Sinclair with conspiracy. There can be no appeal from the decision except through the agency of applying to the United States Supreme Court for a writ of certerorari. This will probably be done, it was said by defense attorneys, although no definite decision had been reached at noon, shortly after the decision same down.

TODAY'S FOOTBALL SCORES.
(At 3:30 p. m.)

Missouri, 0; Tulane, 0; end of half.

Nebraska, 14; Drake, 0; end of half.

Texas U., 3; Kansas Aggies, 0; end of half.

Navy, 10; Purdue, 6; end of half.

Kansas U., 7; Washburn, 0; end of first quarter.

Army, 7; Detroit, 0; end of half.

Yale, 21; Boston U., 0; end of half.

Princeton, 7; Amherst, 7; end of half.

Oklahoma. A. & M., 0; Michigan U., 29; end of half.

Illinois, 14; Coe College, 0; end of first quarter.

Eight Believed Dead Following Hotel Fire

Sibley, La., Oct. 2.—Eight persons were believed to have been burned to death today when the Hotel Sidney was burned to the ground. Five bodies had been recovered from the ruins of the building late this morning and firemen and policemen are searching the wreckage for three missing persons known to have been in the hotel at the time of the fire.

The blaze started in the kitchen and soon was burning in all parts of the building.

Klansmen Ambushed and Are Fired Upon

Gorton, Mass., Oct. 2.—Five hundred Klansmen were ambushed and sprayed with shotgun and rifle bullets early today as they fled from a field near here where a meeting had just concluded. The ambush was planned in a strategic manner, with roads blockaded by fallen trees delaying the fleeing Klansmen so that their automobiles were riddled with shots. None was injured.

MRS. LEWIS JONES HERE.

Mrs. Lewis Jones of Enid, Okla., is here to visit her sister, Mrs. J. W. Herren and her brother, William Toel. Mrs. Jones also will visit another brother, George Toel, at St. Joseph, during her stay in Missouri.

Pine Cone group of Troop 1, Girl Scouts, postponed their hike today because of the rain. They will meet Tuesday afternoon at the South Methodist Flats.

Planning Defense of Accused Govt. Plotters

General Enrique Estrada And His "War Cabinet" Are Accused of Encouraging Revolution.

Los Angeles, Oct. 2.—Plans for the defense of General Enrique Estrada, accused of plotting a Mexican revolution, and his "war cabinet," were completed here today by Morris Andrews, counsel for the accused men. Charges that the U. S. department of justice men were the real conspirators and that Estrada was a victim of a "double crossing" will be hurled at the hearing to open in federal court Monday, according to Andrews.

PINS HOPE TO HAGUE COURT

GENEVA TRIBUNAL MEANS LITTLE TO AMERICA.

"REGRETS" REJECTION

But President Coolidge Sees Nothing To Do Now—Won't Resubmit It To Senate.

Washington, Oct. 2.—President Coolidge "regrets" that the powers of Europe have not seen fit to admit the United States to the world court on the conditions laid down by the Senate, but he feels there is little he can do about it.

Mr. Coolidge is not disposed to haggle with the powers over the shades of meaning that may or may not be contained in the reservations, nor is he inclined to court another Senate fight by resubmitting the issue again to the Senate for modification of reservations.

In this regretful and polite manner, the White House spokesman indicated today that the world court issue will be placed in a more or less permanent pigeon hole and for the time being at least forgotten.

When the notes from the individual powers arrive in Washington expressing their unwillingness to accept the Senate's fourth and fifth reservations, the President will consult with Senate leaders, the replies will be drawn up and the matter be permitted to die a natural death, according to all indications.

The appointment of Charles Evans Hughes as the American member of the Hague court of arbitration is accepted here as additional proof of the administration's determination to lean on this instrument for adjusting international disputes rather than putting any hope in the Geneva world court.

Would Break Down Government's Case

Final Week of Daugherty Affair Will Open Monday; No Session of Court Today.

New York, Oct. 2.—With the opening of the final week of the federal conspiracy case against Harry M. Daugherty, former attorney-general, and Thomas W. Miller, former alien property custodian, on Monday, defense attorneys will launch a long argument in an effort to break down the government's case, it was indicated today.

There was no session of court today. Fate of the defendants will rest on the ability on counsel, it was believed, rather than on the testimony of a long line of defense witnesses.

The only remaining defense witness of any importance is to be Adhah R. Johnson, jr., former special assistant to the attorney-general, in charge of alien property claims. He did the actual field work leading up to the approval of the seven-million-dollar American Metals claim for Richard Merton, German industrialist.

It is not expected that either Daugherty or Miller will take the stand.

Evangelist's Case to Be Resumed Monday

Los Angeles, Oct. 2.—After a day which featured sensational testimony yesterday concerning the visits of Kenneth G. Ormiston, former Angelus temple radio operator, to the room of Aimee Semple McPherson, noted woman evangelist, the conspiracy case against Mrs. McPherson, her mother, Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, and Mrs. Lorraine Wiseman-Seilaff was temporarily halted today. The case will be resumed Monday.

SAYS AMERICA NEEDS WORK

TOO MUCH PLAY IN U. S., SARGENT BELIEVES.

HOME RULES ARE LAX

Children Not Taught to Think and Parents Making Life Too Easy, Attorney-General Declares.

Kansas City, Oct. 2.—America is playing too much—not working enough.

That was the message brought here today by Attorney-General Sargent, reared in thrifty New England, in an address before the members of the Missouri Bar Association, in convention here.

Sargent criticized the growing tendency of parents to make life too easy for their children. He asserted that morals, character building and personal conduct are covered by statutes.

"The otherwise law-abiding citizen who excuses his violation of the Eighteenth Amendment on the grounds that it interferes with his personal desires was severely censured by the attorney-general.

"We are living at a time of relaxation of rules of conduct generally," Sargent said. "The whole thing has been made too easy for us. The matter of individual control has been supplanted by instrumentalities imposed by others.

"When we were children we usually did our work when and as we were told, but now we hear on every hand the doctrine that children should not be compelled to do what is distasteful but life made pleasant and smooth. As a result, we are growing day by day less careful and less watchful of our conduct."

Training children to think, to reason and to exercise their faculties which enable them to form correct judgment has been discarded for a new system of education, according to the attorney-general.

"Nowadays, the boy or girl of 15 selects what subjects he or she will pursue and usually selects them with a view to their practical use in what at that age he thinks will be his life's work," Sargent continued. "The aim is not to acquire a faculty for study but to memorize a mass of facts sufficiently well to pass the examination, leaving all time possible for such diversions as the automobile, moving pictures, radio, sports and what not."

Parents are trying to provide their children with more entertainment and less work, Sargent believes.

Now They Claim It Was Jack's Bad Skin

Worry Over Law Suits Also Blamed by Trainer for Dempsey's Failure to Defeat Gene Tunney.

New York, Oct. 2.—Jack Dempsey, illing from a skin infection since his fight with Gene Tunney, was considerably improved this morning, according to word from his quarters at the Hotel Belmont.

In fact, the former champion felt well enough last night to appear on the streets for the first time since he returned to New York.

Tales of food poisoning before the fight were emphatically denied by Gus Wilson, Dempsey's trainer.

"There has been a lot of rumors following this fight and all of them are wrong," Wilson said. "Dempsey's food was not poisoned; he was in fine condition a week before the fight, and then he started to go down. We know now what the trouble was. Either he contracted a skin disease from his sparring partners or worry over his law suits brought about a condition that affected his blood."

Seven Burned When Airplane Is Wrecked

London, Oct. 2.—Seven persons, comprising the crew and all passengers of a French airplane en route to the Croydon air port, were burned to death today when the machine was wrecked about a mile from the Penshurst airdome. Officials announced that there were no Americans aboard the plane.

Weather

Partly cloudy today and Sunday, probably becoming unsettled by Sunday night; moderate temperature.

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Next Monday will be the first Monday in October and it is also designated by law as "Missouri Day." It is not a legal holiday but a day set aside to commemorate Missouri history and to boost Missouri generally, and will be observed by the teachers and pupils of the schools. Know Missouri.

If people's homes look anything like some of the alleys, they are neither a thing of beauty nor a joy forever.

This country is said to be getting overcrowded and from what you see in small automobiles sometimes certainly bears out that idea.

Stewart's WASHINGTON LETTER

By CHARLES P. STEWART.
NEA Service Writer.

Washington — Social Washington simply will cry with disappointment if Queen Marie of Roumania changes her mind and doesn't come to the United States.

It had been supposed everything was definitely settled when, right out of a clear sky, along came a message from Bucharest to the effect that the foreign office there denied the queen is going to visit this country after all.

The affair seems to be involved in some sort of a queer mixup. The Roumanian legation certainly thought her majesty was coming, for it had arranged to move into temporary quarters, so that she could have the whole place while here.

As nearly as it's possible to make out from this distance, Marie wants to come and the foreign office doesn't want her to.

It would appear that the foreign office has discovered how much harder it is for royalty to be dignified in America than in old world countries, where the people are used to such folk and don't treat them like curiosities.

The Rumanian legation has been about the busiest place in Washington ever since it began to expect that the queen would be here—fairly swamped under invitations for her.

This would be very flattering, if it weren't—probably — suspected that most of these would-be entertainers of her majesty want her not so much for herself alone as because she'll be a huge social asset to themselves.

To innocent bystanders the scramble is comic, but if the legation has deported its proportions to the foreign office in Bucharest, the latter can hardly be blamed for wondering if the queen isn't in danger of being mobbed.

HAZEL DELL AND VICINITY.

The Reverend Mr. Kitchen of Iowa, closed a two weeks meeting at Bethany Christian Church, Monday night with nine new additions, and three coming in by letter.

Irvin Acklin has torn down the Mount Zion church house and is having a bungalow erected.

Parnell

Willing Workers.

Orley Miller and Geo. Lyle were business visitors in St. Joseph Wednesday and Thursday.

Elias Roof of Conception came Thursday for a visit with his brother, A. J. Roof.

Mrs. Lizzie Logan has returned from several weeks visit with relatives at Hannibal, Mo.

Mrs. Wm. Birkenholtz visited at the Zeph Crenshaw home, Friday.

George Pat Wright of Maryville, was in Parnell Thursday and Friday looking after his political interests.

Rev. and Mrs. F. L. Focht and children, who are leaving soon for their new home in Northwestern Iowa, were 6 o'clock dinner guests Wednesday, of Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Matteson.

Miss Veronica Hall, who attends Business College in Kansas City, came home Friday to spend the week-end with homefolks.

Miss Alyce Leeper of Winston, Mo., who is teaching at Hopkins this year spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Campbell.

Merril Thurman and wife of Lucas, S. D., are visiting relatives here.

Gene Stutesman and family formerly of near Sheridan, have moved into the Kibler property.

M. L. Logan has rented the B. L. Adams place in the Southeast part of town and will move his chicken hatchery. Mr. Logan expects to do some building and expects to have his incubators ready by Feb. 1st.

Mrs. Paul Smith visited Mrs. R. E. DeFreece, Friday.

Vincent Spire was a Maryville visitor, Friday.

A SUN SPOT JAG.

NOW WHO'S HIC - BOSS - HUH - HIC ?
THE STORM KING
FLOODS IN THE MIDDLE WEST STATES
STORM IN PARAGUAY
DELUGE IN INDIA
HURRICANE IN FLORIDA
MOTHER EARTH

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"Papa always tells me what little words mean, but if it's a big one he says it will be better for me to look it up myself."

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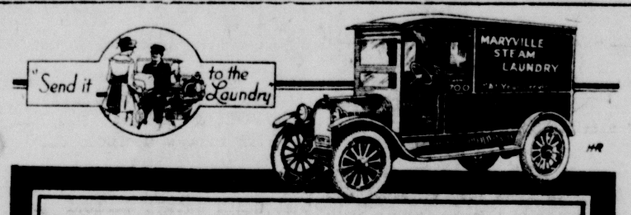

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Furniture Company
The House of Quality and Service

Fifty Years Ago

(Taken from the Nodaway Democrat, Sept. 28, 1876.)

Elder Bush will preach at the Christian Church on next Sunday.

Judge Terhune has sold his fine farm of 320 acres, located about a mile south of town, for $35 per acre. A Mr. Miller of Illinois is the purchaser.

A grand ball will be given at Union Hall on next Thursday evening under the auspices of the Maryville Dancing Club.

Several of our citizens are attending the St. Joseph exposition this week.

Hon. David Rea will speak at the courthouse in this city on next Monday, the 2nd of October, at 2 p. m.

H. P. Wolf will soon occupy the basement of the Nodaway Valley Bank building with his new barber shop.

There will be a joint discussion at the courthouse in this city on Monday, the 10th day of October, between C. A. Anthony and B. A. Dunn. They will discuss the status of the South at the close of the war, reconstruction problems and politics.

Theo. F. Jones has returned from a visit to Niagara Falls, N. Y., and the great Centennial at Philadelphia. He is again at his post in the Circuit clerk's office.

Says the St. Joe Gazette: "A. E. Mayer, the leading agricultural implement dealer of Nodaway County, is in the city, and will remain during the Exposition."

We had a pleasant call on Tuesday from Rev. Isley, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Hopkins. He has editorial charge of the Hopkins Journal during the absence of Mr. Pierce at the Centennial.

There seems to be some question as to whether Tunney whipped Dempsey or did the lawyers do it?

BARBS

If they could only get a few of these non-stop flights started!

A Sandusky (O.) man followed his runaway wife 1500 miles. But Wills will have to follow Tunney a lot farther than that.

New York fans killed an umpire, proving that even in New York Justice has her moments.

George Uhle, the Cleveland pitcher won 27 games in the 1926 season. The other two days he was away on business.

St. Louis won a pennant. Next thing, you know the farmers will be complaining they are getting far too much for their oats.

BROWN of HARVARD

A thrilling picture of real college life—its loves, thrills, drama—from the celebrated play

Featuring Jack Pickford, Mary Brian, Francis X. Bushman Jr., Mary Alden and William Haines.

ELECTRIC THEATRE
MONDAY AND TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4th and 5th.
Matinee at 3:00. ADMISSION—Children 10, adults 35c. Night 7:30 and 9:00.

Important Announcement

LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE SERVICE Changes

Effective October 1, 1926

Reductions in Long Distance Rates

The rates on all calls to points 150 or more miles distant will be substantially reduced. The greater the distance, the greater the reduction. For example:—From St. Louis to Indianapolis, the basic station-to-station rate will be $1.30 instead of $1.50, to Chicago, $1.45 instead of $1.70, to New York, $4.05 instead of $5.60.

A few rates for distances between 30 and 112 miles will be adjusted to make the schedule consistent throughout, but in these cases the increase of the basic station-to-station rate will be only five cents.

Reversed Charges on Station-to-Station Calls

Heretofore the reversal of charges has been available only on person-to-person calls. As a further convenience to the public this privilege will be extended to station-to-station calls to all points where the rate is 25 cents or more, whether the call is made during the day or during the reduced rate periods at night.

Longer Reduced Rate Period

Reduced rate hours for station-to-station calls will begin at 7 p. m. instead of 8:30 p. m., as formerly. Between 7 and 8:30 p. m. the discount will be approximately 25 per cent of the day station-to-station rates; from 8:30 p. m. to 4:30 a. m., the discount will be about 50 per cent of the day rates. These discounts will apply on calls where the day station-to-station rate is 40 cents or more, with a minimum reduced rate of 35 cents. Because of the unsatisfactory service conditions which it brought about, the existing midnight discount will be discontinued.

The net result of these rate changes will be a saving to the telephone users of the United States of approximately $3,000,000 a year. The service changes are made in the interests of public convenience, to relieve the burden now imposed by the congestion of business at midnight and to furnish still better long distance service.

HANAMO TELEPHONE COMPANY

Out in Society

Circle Meets.

Mrs. J. A. Speirs entertained Circle Number One of the Baptist Church at her home yesterday afternoon.

Give Shower.

The Wilcox Rebekahs gave a shower last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James Sheridan who recently were married. Mrs. Sheridan, a member of the lodge, was Miss Catherine Holt. The regular meeting of the lodge was held with Mrs. Cora Fox presiding. All of the officers were present. During the social hour a hamburg fry was enjoyed. Fifty-three members were present.

Announce Engagement.

Announcement was made of the engagement of Miss Irene Babb to Martin J. Miller of Detroit, Mich., at a party given last night in honor of Miss Babb at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Doyle, 34 West Seventh street. The marriage will take place in the near future. Miss Babb has been employed at the Arnold-Strong Motor Company.

At the affair last night the guests presented Miss Babb with a linen shower. Refreshments were served.

Those who attended the party were: Mrs. W. T. Doyle, Mrs. Frances Spoor, Misses Elizabeth Wagner, Ethel Muntz, Fay Castillo, Jettie Robertson, Sarah Garrett, Thelma Garrett, Sarah Moore, Leta Babb, Dorothy Babb and Pearl Pittman.

Surprise Party.

A surprise party was held last night in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. J. D. Bolin. The affair was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bolin ten miles south of Maryville. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bell and son, Albert Gordan, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Johnson and son, James, Mr. and Mrs. Orley Coakley, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bolin and children, Helen and Edwin, Mr. and Mrs. William Strauch and daughter, Betty Lou, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McMillen and children, Mary, George, Christine and Harry, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clayton and sons, Ralph and Brice, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Evans and children, Mildred and Helen Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Ursle Crockett and sons, Junior and Robert Graham, Mrs. Roy Conrad and children, Loraine, Coetta, Vernon, Lloyd, Forrest and Vilas, Miss Ada Needles, Misses Hildred, Laura Margaret, Doris Marie and Dorothy May Bolin and Harold Bolin.

W. A. A. Tea.

The Women's Athletic Association of the State Teachers College will give a tea in the recreation room from 3:15 to 5 o'clock, Monday afternoon. Those in charge of the affair and those assisting in making preparations are Dr. Ethel Saxman, Miss Marguerite Fox, Miss Lorene Bruckner; Misses Margaret McMurry, Pauline Hardwick, Martha Yarborough, Helen Pixler, Ruth England, Lucy Allen, Margaret Quinlan, Esther Gile and Virginia Dean. The last group consists of the members of the W. A. A.

Circle Two.

Miss Orrel Helwig entertained Circle Number Two of the Baptist Church with a luncheon and afternoon meeting yesterday. Mrs. Laura Morris and Mrs. John White were assisting hostesses. Thirty-five persons attended the luncheon and fifteen of the members remained for the afternoon session. Mrs. F. W. Baker led the devotional service. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William White the first Friday in November.

W. C. S. N. Club.

The W. C. S. N. Club of White Cloud Community, was entertained by Mrs. Elmer Hanna Thursday afternoon. Button-holes were worked in children's garments. Mrs. Hanna, assisted by Mrs. Oland Ringold, served lunch. Mrs. Frank Davis and Mrs. Galen Ulmer drew presents from the birthday box. Members in attendance were: Mrs. Henry Brown, Mrs. Orville McMillen, Mrs. Galen Ulmer, Mrs. Bert Baldwin, Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. Les Ringold, Mrs. Myrtle Gillespie, Mrs. Oland Ringold, Mrs. Ol Coleman, Mrs. Will Boyd, Mrs. Champ Rice, and Mrs. Nick Thull. The next meeting place was left undecided, but will probably be with Mrs. Elmer Hutcherson.

Bloomfield Needlework Club.

The Bloomfield Needle Work Club held their regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Mamie McClurg. Roll call was responded to with Bible verses. Plans were made at this meeting to meet soon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Hanna to can apples for the hospital and orphans' home. After the business meeting refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. I. C. Thompson and Mrs. Vilas McClurg. Visitors and members present were: Mrs. T. L. McClurg, Mrs. Ed Hanna and children, Mrs. I. C. Thompson, Mrs. John McClurg, Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Mrs. Lester Hollensbe and daughter, Mrs. Vilas McClurg and son, and Mrs. Will Morrow, Misses Della McNeal, Neva McClurg, Ethelyn and Edith Hanna. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Vilas McClurg Oct. 14. Roll call answer will be announced at that time.

Give Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGinness, south of Skidmore entertained at 1 o'clock dinner Sunday. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Culp of Alexandria, Nebr., Mr. and Mrs. Wayman McGinness and children Lane and Lola Mae, Mrs. Jane McGinness and Leora and Virginia Rea McGinness. Afternoon callers were Sam McGinness and children, Pauline, Georgia Ruth and John Samuel.

Monday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayman McGinness of Skidmore entertained at 1 o'clock dinner Monday. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Culp of Alexandria, Nebr., Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGinness, Misses Leora McGinness, Virginia Rea McGinness, Lane, and Lola Mae McGinness.

Birthday Surprise.

The Young People's Class of the Pleasant Grove Sunday School gave Miss Mabel Schoonover a surprise Thursday night in honor of her 16th birthday anniversary at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Schoonover, ten miles south of Maryville. A birthday cake was prepared which held sixteen pink candles. Music and games were the entertaining diversions of the evening, after which ice cream and cake was served. Those present were Misses Ellen McMillen, Susie Rice, Lucile Bolin, Leora Schoonover, Lila Hall, Mabel Schoonover, and Homer Davison, Johnnie Rice, Earl Schoonover, Cecil Rice and Mr. and Mrs. Schoonover.

Bedison Club.

Mrs. C. E. Walton entertained the Bedison Community Club at her home southeast of Bedison, Thursday. A business meeting was held, and plans were made for the club members to take up a subscription in the community, the money to be used in getting a stove for the Bedison church. After the business meeting the guests hemmed tea towels. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Carl Swearingen. Those present were Mrs. Lee Barsballe, Mrs. Gus Schaefer and daughter, Charlene, Mrs. Carl Swearingen and son, Marion, Mrs. Will Anderson, Mrs. Lee Winn, Mrs. Will Logan and son, Wilton, and Lorace Walton. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Will Anderson on Thursday, Oct. 7. At that time a Missouri day program will be given.

Mrs. Robert Jones Hostess.

Circle Number Four of the Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Robert Jones last night when twenty-nine members were present. During the business meeting twenty-seven enlistment calls and 6 benevolent calls were reported and nine bouquets were reported sent during the past month. After the business meeting and devotions led by Mrs. F. A. Bush. Some time was given to the study of the text book used by the circle, "Prayer and Missions." Special numbers were given by a sextet composed of Misses Elizabeth and Charlotte Prather, Helen and Hazel Jones, Beth and Frances Briggs. Miss Laura Jean Murdock played a piano solo.

Guild To Meet.

The Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. H. Allen, East Sixth street, at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening.

Auxiliary Meeting.

The meeting of the Auxiliary of the Spanish War Veterans will be held at the veterans headquarters at 7:30 o'clock, Monday night.

Woman's Council.

The Woman's Council of the Christian Church met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Robinson yesterday afternoon. Forty members were present. Mrs. Harry Todd, leader of the missionary program gave a talk on "Rural Churches." Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass and Mrs. John Mutz furnished the music. Older women of the organization gave talks on the rural churches of yesteryear. Mrs. Robinson gave a talk on her visit with the Rev. C. Emerson Miller of Wichita, Kansas, who formerly was pastor of the Christian Church here at one time. Mrs. Robinson returned recently from a visit with relatives at Wichita. Hostesses assisting Mrs. Robinson were Mrs. Frank Reavis, Mrs. Milton Butker, Mrs. George Butts, Mrs. L. S. Yeo and Mrs. F. W. Crow.

Why the Yaquis Are Fighting

This ancient church and reclining plaster saint are the indirect causes of the rebellion of Mexico's Yaqui Indian tribes. Every fall the Yaquis make a pilgrimage to Magdalena, in Sonora, to the statue of San Francisco, shown above. This year the government refused to let them. So they're on the war path.

QUEEN MARIE MOVIE STRUCK

ROUMANIAN RULER ANSWERING LURE OF HOLLYWOOD.

IN THIS COUNTRY SOON

Trip May Be Strikingly Successful If Loan is Negotiated For Her Country While Here.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Marie Hoenzollern, widely known for her syndicated newspaper articles, her spirited published enthusiasm for various beauty aids, her broadening travels and her literary laurels to the record of the reigning house of that Balkan nation on her tour of the United States.

Her majesty, it is said, is movie struck.

The lure of Hollywood is reported to have penetrated the halls of the royal palace of Roumania and the granddaughter of Queen Victoria longs to write scenorios for the popular stars of America.

Queen Marie, already well acquainted with Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks, is understood to have corresponded with Gloria Swanson, who now bears a European title of her own as a result of her recent marriage.

One of the longest sojourns of Queen Marie's American visit is expected to be in Hollywood, where she hopes to widen her film acquaintances to include those producers and directors who wield somewhat more than royal power in the world of the silver screen.

Marie's immediate prodecessor on the Roumanian throne, it is recalled, attained a considerable reputation as a poet under the name of Carmen Sylva, and the recent queen, whose viewpoint is nothing if not modern, is understood to feel that she would not be stepping to far below the literary level already established if she wrote for the screen.

The queen's reported ambition adds new difficulties to the already complicated social situation surrounding her "semi-official" visit. Her status can hardly be the same when she is calling on President Coolidge at the white house and when she is discussing contracts in the studios of California.

The tour of Queen Marie and her entourage apparently will not be expensive to the Roumanian government. Transportation is being furnished the royal party free gratis, it is understood, both on sea and on land and it is reported a private car has been donated for her majesty's use. If, as is reported, the queen hopes while to here to negotiate a loan for her country, and if the movie dreams materialize, the trip may be spectacularly successful.

G. O. P. Publicity Director Returns.

J. F. Hull, chairman of the publicity committee for the Republican state committee, returned this morning from St. Louis. Mr. Hull will return to St. Louis Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Culp have returned to their home at Alexandria, Nebr., after a visit with relatives. During their stay they visited Mrs. Culp's sister, Mrs. George Sharp, at Quitman.

Miss Veronica Hall, who is attending school in Kansas City, is spending the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall, at Parnell.

K. C. COLLEGE TO UNIVERSITY

DENTAL SCHOOL BECOMES PART OF LINCOLN AND LEE.

TO BE ONE OF THE BEST

Campaign to Raise $5,000,000 For Other Departments Now in Progress.

Kansas City, Oct. 2.—Research in the interest of dentistry is expected to benefit by the affiliation which has been effected between the Kansas City Western Dental College and Lincoln and Lee University. By terms of the affiliation the former institution becames the college of dentisty of the new university.

All the facilities of Lincoln and Lee will be available to the newly acquired dental department and particular attention will be given to original research work. Already well known for the quality of its work, the dental college is expected to gain even higher standing as a result of the affiliation.

Consolidation of the dental College with the university was advised by Dr. William J. Gies, of the Carnegie Foundation, after a survey of the situation last April. It was his prediction that such affiliation would result in giving Kansas City the most complete dental college in the country.

The 361 students now enrolled in the dental college, as a result of the affiliation, automatically acquired the distinction of being the first to be enrolled in an active department of Lincoln and Lee. A campaign to raise $5,000,000 to establish other departments of the university is now in progress.

Cities Suffer Pains If They Grow Fast

Detroit Troubled With Such a Condition California Police Believes —Made Survey.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 2.—The "Wickedest city in America, with its estimated 15,000 saloons and its vice situation," recently came under the scrutiny of August Vollmer, internationally known criminologist and police chief of Berkley, Cal.

Vollmer was invited here by commissioners of police, William P. Rutleg and was retained for three months by the Detroit Bureau of governmental research.

He insisted he came, "not to clean up Detroit, not to advise the police department, but to consult with the police force as one policeman with another."

Vollmer's first "snap" survey of conditions was that of the sociologist.

"Cities, like human beings," he said, "suffer 'growing pains,' when they deevlop too rapidly as Detroit has. I think perhaps that is the matter if there is anything the matter."

Continuing his academic analysis, Vollmer said it was inevitable that where a city has great influx of population it will acquire a large number of unsuitable individuals who were unable to get along satisfactorily in their more settled home communities.

READ THE WANT ADS

MUDDY ROADS STOP GAMES

ONLY TWO OF BOYS' GAMES COMPLETED.

BARNARD, ELMO WIN

Quitman-Conception Game Stopped At Half—Girls of Same Teams Victorious.

Yesterday's Results.

Boys.

Harmony at Pickering, postponed.
Guilford at Skidmore, postponed.
Burlington Junction at Clearmont, canceled.
Ravenwood 2, Barnard 19.
Elmo 24, Graham 19.
Quitman 24, Conception Junction 0, called at end of half.

Girls.

Ravenwood 14, Barnard 16.
Elmo 14, Graham 4.
(Only games played.)

The Standings.

Boys.

Pickering	2	0	1.000
Burlington Junction	2	0	1.000
Guilford	2	0	1.000
Quitman	2	1	.667
Harmony	1	1	.500
Elmo	1	1	.500
Barnard	1	2	.333
Ravenwood	1	2	.333
Skidmore	0	1	.000
Conception Junction	0	3	.000
Clearmont	0	0	.000

Girls.

Elmo	2	0	1.000
Ravenwood	2	1	.667
Barnard	2	1	.667
Guilford	1	1	.500
Burlington Junction	1	1	.500
Skidmore	0	1	.000
Graham	0	3	.000

Muddy roads interfered seriously with Nodaway County's outdoor basketball schedule yesterday afternoon, and only three games were played by the boys teams and two by the girls.

The results did not change the standing of the leaders among the boys teams, as the three highest did not get into action. The girls' games put Elmo in the lead in that department.

At Barnard, the home teams, both boys and girls, collected sweet revenge for defeats last week at Ravenwood. The Barnard boys won the return game, 19-2, while the girls had a harder fight but won, 16 to 12.

The line-ups:

Barnard Boys	FG	FT
Griggs	0	1
Adams	2	0
Thompson	1	0
Donaldson	3	0
Bare	3	0
Ravenwood Boys	**FG**	**FT**
Thomas	0	1
Lewis	0	0
Warehime	0	1
Moore	0	0
Craig	0	0
Barnard Girls	**FG**	**FT**
Bare	2	0
Dougan	6	0
Daniels	0	0
Rasco	0	0
Cole	0	0
Haselwood	0	0
Ravenwood Girls	**FG**	**FT**
Conn	3	1
Comer	2	1
Goodson	0	0
Wygal	0	0
Bogne	0	0
Leary	0	0

BOYS.

ELMO (24)—		
Johnston, f	2	0
Crowdes, f	0	0
Adkins, f	5	0
Hutchings, c	2	2
Spangler, g	2	0
Calfee, g	0	0
	11	2
GRAHAM (19)—		
Kaufman, f	6	1
Elliott, f	1	0
Schwartz, f	0	0
Cole, c	0	0
Dean, g	0	0
Mowry, g	2	0
	9	1

GIRLS

ELMO (14)—		
Martha Johnston, f	5	0
D. Kinman, f	2	0
Adkins, j. c.	0	0
Lamar, r. c.	0	0
S. Kinman, g	0	0
Russell, g	0	0
	7	0

Subs: Ecker, Mary Johnston, Helen Hamilton.

GRAHAM (4)—		
Gex, f	1	0
Ripley, f	1	0
Clark, j. c.	0	0
Dean, j. c.	0	0
Miller, r. c.	0	0
Pennington, g	0	0
Hayzlett, g	0	0
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	2	0

Burlington Junction

Charles Moore and family were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jensen, of Conception Junction. Mrs. Jensen is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moore.

Mrs. M. J. Haferty and her sister, Mrs. Emma Stephens, of Atchison County, have been in Illinois, at Deland, visiting relatives. They returned home Wednesday night. They report a fine visit and say that Illinois, too, has been visited by excessive rains and floods, and that much damage from high waters has resulted.

The Burlington Junction Post, enlarged this week on account of having the job of printing the four Amendments to the state constitution to be submitted to the voters of the state at the November election. The four propositions covered four full sized newspaper pages in closely printed material. There was a vast deal of work involved in getting it ready for the press.

Mrs. C. D. Peters of Horton, Kan., is here visiting Mrs. A. M. Schmauder and daughter, Bertha, and other relatives. Mrs. Peters is a daughter of Mrs. Schmauder.

Edwin Lewis and family of Clarinda were in town Sunday afternoon, visiting friends. Mr. Lewis has recently become owner of the Page County, Ia., Democrat, and is putting out a good paper. He formerly owned and published the Burlington Junction Post.

Mrs. Emma Calhoun of Indianola, Ia., is here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caldwell. Mrs. Calhoun is the mother of Mrs. Caldwell. She is the wife of a former Presbyterian pastor in Burlington Junction, and has many friends who are glad to meet her again. She will remain several days for a visit.

Metropolitan Singer Thrills Italian Crowd

Impromptu Concert by Benjamin Gigli in St. Mark's Square Takes Mixed Audience by Storm.

Venice, Oct. 2. — While Americans sipped coffee, imbibed cocktails and ate Italian ices, a Metropolitan Opera House voice rang from the band-stand of St. Mark's Square. It was that of Benjamin Gigli.

The municipal band was just concluding its program for the evening, and was tuning up for the finale, when cries for silence spread over the moonlit piazza.

While the gay throng, taking its drinks at the cafes under the colonades, was asking what had happened, the clear voice broke out in the romance from Boito's Mephistopheles.

The word was quickly passed round that it was Gili, who in consequence of a promise made to some friends, had decided with the aid of the bass, Zoni and the soprano, Nadia Svilarova, to give the public a free concert.

The people at the cafe tables stood on their chairs to get a better view of the singers, while round the bandstand, the orchestra, nothing loth, extended the evening concert for full three-quarters of an hour, the crowd pressed close.

The enthusiasm grew to such a point for the impromptu concert held in the marvelous setting of the beautiful square, that in the end a cordon of police had to make a way of escape for Gigli and his friends through the cheering, excited crowd.

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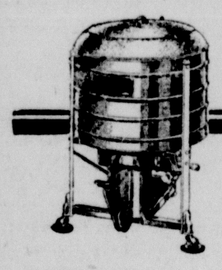

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MONDAY and TUESDAY, Oct. 4 and 5—Jack Pickford, Mary Brian, Francis X. Bushman Jr., Mary Alden and William Haines in **"BROWN OF HARVARD."** The winning picture of a Real College Life. Also Monday a comedy. Tuesday International News.

NODAWAY COUNTY FARM NEWS

By BILLY TILSON.

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Ernest Moore of Maryville sold eight fine calves to Harry Mutz and delivered them yesterday to the farm of Mr. Mutz north of town.

Clarence Lyle, Boone Clark and S. E. Armstrong, northwest of Barnard, were in the city yesterday. They say that the grass is the only thing that is being benefitted by the continual rains. Quite an acreage of wheat was expected to be sown down that way but some farmers have already given up and will not try to put any out on account of the conditions of the fields.

John Blackford and family were Maryville visitors yesterday. John says some corn is rotting in the fields and unless the rains ceases and we have ssunshine for a couple of weeks that quite an amount of the corn will be unfit for feed. Those that have expected to cut up corn are unable to do so.

Ed Wohlford, jr., and family of Barnard were visiting in the city yesterday. Mr. Wohlford says the farmers are unable to get any work done and if weather conditions don't get better that there will be only a small acreage of fall wheat sown.

George Schneider, east of Arkoe, was a Maryville caller yesterday. He says the road is bad east of the bridge at Arkoe.

Wilbur and B. A. Cox, northeast of Maryville, were transacting business in the city yesterday.

U. A. Anderson, southwest of Hopkins, shipped out his fat cattle Thursday to the St. Joseph market. This finishes the last that Mr. Anderson has on feed. He has quite a bunch that is running on grass and a fine herd of shoats.

Ralph Anderson and wife, northwest of Skidmore, were visiting in the city yesterday. Mr. Anderson says he has some wheat sown but has had to look around to find ground dry enough to work.

Irvin Peery of the Workman Chapel neighborhood was in the city for a short time yesterday. He says the roads up his way are in bad condition and it will take quite an amount of work to get them in shape for travel. Irvin came the old way, team and buggy, and it seemed like a long road to travel in getting here.

Thurman Ashford and wife, near Clearmont, were visiting in the city yesterday.

John Dicus, southeast of Clearmont, wsa transacting business in Maryville yesterday. He says there are some bad places in the road from his place to the city but farmers along the line are doing all they can to make traveling safe.

James Danner, southwest of Maryville, says the fall wheat acreage will be small down that way unless warm weather holds on for awhile.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued this afternoon to Oran H. Wiley and Cleasta Jenkins, both of Maryville.

PHONE RATES ARE REVISED

PRICE DECREASED TO POINTS 150 MILES DISTANT.

7 P.M. STATION CALLS

"Reverse" Charges Are Now Permitted, and After 8.30 Rate Is Reduced 50 Per Cent.

Changes in long distance rates, which it is declared will save telephone users of Missouri more than $180,000 annually, became effective yesterday.

The rates to all points 150 or more miles distant are substantially reduced. For example, from Jefferson City to Topeka, Kansas, the basic station-to-station rate will be $1.15 instead of $1.25; to Chicago, $1.75 instead of $2.20; to New York, $4.45 instead of $6.25. A few rates for distances between 30 to 112 miles have been slightly increased.

"An extensive survey of long distance usage," an announcement by the company said, "shows that the total yearly saving to Missouri telehone users will amount to more than $180,000 as a result of the revision."

The new schedule offers several additional features, which will probably be of great advantage to users of "long distance." The foremost is the extension of the "collect" privilege, or reversal of charges, to include to-station calls. Formerly this was allowed only on person-to-person calls. Now advantage may thus be taken of the lower station-to-station rates.

Another change is that the evening reduced rate period for station-to-station calls now starts at 7 p. m. instead of 8:30 p. m., as heretofore. A discount of about 25 per cent of the day station-to-station rates is allowed.

At 8:30 p. m., a new reduced rate period begins and continues until 4:30 a. m. During this period there is a discount of approximately 50 per cent of the day rate under the old schedule this rate did not apply until after midnight.

AMUSEMENTS

Sunday.

"The Lone Wolf Returns," a Columbia picture featuring Bert Lytell and Billie Dove in a sequel to the five crook novels written by Louis Joseph Vance. At the Missouri Theater.

Monday.

"Brown of Harvard," a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production with a strong cast which includes Jack Pickford, Mary Brian, Francis X. Bushman jr., and William Haines. One of the week's big pictures. At the Electric Theater.

"Lone Wolf Returns," at the Missouri Theater.

Tuesday.

"The Gay Deceiver," a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer comedy-drama, featuring Lew Cody. At the Missouri Theater.

"Brown of Harvard," at the Electric Theater.

Wednesday.

"Watch Your Wife," a Universal picture featuring Pat O'Malley in a domestic comedy-drama. At the Electric Theater.

"The Gay Deceiver," at the Missouri Theater.

Thursday.

"The Plastic Age," the photo-dramatization of Percy Marks' book on college life. Another of the week's big pictures. At the Missouri Theater.

"Watch Your wife," at the Electric Theater.

Friday.

"Queen of Diamonds," a Film Booking Offices presentation featuring Evelyn Brent, at the Electric Theater.

"Plastic Age," at the Missouri Theater.

Saturday.

The Man From Oklahoma," at the Missouri Theater.

"Shadow of the Law," a Pathe picture featuring Clara Bow. At the Electric Theater.

Each of Maryville's theaters is featuring a college photoplay this week. "Brown of Harvard" at the Electric Theater is a story of Tom Brown of Harvard who disgraces himself by causing the university to lose a crew race and loses his sweetheart to his rival. He regains his favor and popular esteem by spectacular playing on the football team. This picture has been a big attraction in other cities where it has been shown and likely will prove an attraction here also.

"The Plastic Age" to show at the Missouri Theater, is a daring story of Percy Marks' observation of college life. Like the book, this picture has been causing much comment from laymen, college students and faculty members. Henry B. Walthall, who has played in dramas at the old Empire Theater has a part in this picture.

GAME IS WON BY BEARCATS

MISSOURI WESLEYAN DEFEATED AT ST. JOSEPH FRIDAY.

SCORE STOOD 13 TO 0

Captain Eads' Work Praised By Sports Writers—Fumbles Were Many And Often.

Smashing line plays in the final quarter enabled the State Teachers College Bearcats to carry the pigskin through the Missouri Wesleyan College forces for two touchdowns and victory in a football game played at League Park in St. Joseph yesterday afternoon. St. Joseph sports writers who witnessed the game give much credit to Ikey Eads, Bearcat captain, for his work during the fray.

Captain Eads carried the ball over for one of the touchdowns and Harold O'Banion made the second score. One of Ead's attempts at goal kicking was unsuccessful, the ball being blocked by a Cameron linesman who got over Maryville's defense. Henderson, right tackle on the Wesleyan team tried one place kick from 13-yard line but the ball fell short of the goal posts. Eads also tried a place kick.

Maryville lost a chance to score early in the game when Willoughby fumbled the ball on the 12-yard line. Eads was the first man to make a first down. He carried the ball for 13 yards on a left end play about fifteen minutes after the game had started.

Fumbles were frequent during the first quarter and had the Cameron players been quick on the recovery of lost balls Maryville might not have fared so well in the scoring.

Duce, former Maysville star, made a 25-yard run in the second quarter and Wesleyan worked the ball to the Maryville 12 yard line making three first downs in the meantime. It was following this march down the field that Henderson attempted his unsuccessful place kick.

Berst intercepted a Wesleyan pass on the Maryville 40 yard line and carried the ball to the Cameron 47 yard line. A few minutes later the first half was over.

A punting fest marked the opening of the third quarter and after the ball had been worked up and down the field Search fumbled and Wesleyan recovered the pig skin on the 30 yard line. Eads later tried a place kick from the 37 yard line but the attempt was unsuccessful. Line plays enabled Maryville to work the ball to within a few yards of the goal and an off-side penalty for Wesleyan carried the ball nearer to the goal. Eads went over the line for the first goal. Miller later in the game, intercepted a Wesleyan pass on the 48 yard line and in a short time, following line plays, O'Banion carried the ball over for a touchdown. Eads kicked goal.

With four minutes left to play, the Maryville reserves were sent into the fray. Cameron was unable to score and the game ended with Maryville holding 13 points to Wesleyan's 0.

The line-ups:

Maryville	Position	Cameron
Berst	l. e.	Imes
Lewis	l. t.	Meek
V. Cox	l. g.	Page
Graham	c	Klepper
Mullenox	r. g.	Casey
Hartman	r. t.	Henderson
Ervin	r. e.	Lower
Willoughby	q.	Bourette
Eads	l. h.	Pendleton
Search	r. h.	Grantham
O'Banion	f.	Metz

Score by periods :

Maryville	0	0	0	13—13
Cameron	0	0	0	0— 0

Maryville scoring — Touchdowns: Eads and O'Banion. Point after touchdown: Eads (place kick). Officials: Cochrane, Kalamazoo, referee; Winters, Ohio State, umpire; Packwood, Missouri, head linesman.

AUNT HET

"I don't like to believe scandal on folks, but I ain't never seen one get started without somethin' to start it."

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FIRST GAME IS DROPPED

SPOOFHOUNDS FALL BEFORE CHILLICOTHE ELEVEN.

PLAYERS VERY GREEN

Maryville High School Line Strong Enough But Backfield Needs More Experience.

Outplaying the Chillicothe football team in the first half of a game staged on the College field yesterday afternoon, the Maryville High School Spoofhounds were unable to cope with an aerial attack started in the third quarter and lost the season's opener by a 6 to 0 score. The next game to be played by the Maryville boys will be against Tarkio here next Friday.

Fans who attended the game yesterday afternoon learned many interesting things concerning the limitations and possibilities of Coach C. W. Croy's squad. That the Maryville line is one more than just passing fair was noted when, during the first two quarters, holes were made through the Chillicothe defense time and again. That the Spoofhound backfield is inexperienced and none too strong was shown that when holes were made through the Hornet's line of defense the boys lugging the pigskin did not make the best of their opportunities and the ground gained was not great.

Each team made one first down on line plays during the first half but in the last two quarters Chillicothe made 7 first downs while Kissinger, in the game for less than a half-dozen plays, made a lone first down for Maryville.

Maryville suffered a serious set-back in the final quarter of the game when Smith, playing center, used his hands in a fashion prohibited by the rules and the referee penalized Maryville half the distance to the goal which was about 45 yards. Other penalties were assessed against both teams after various players became off-side.

Working with a very green squad, Coach Croy, and assistant coach Hugh Graham, are hardly to be criticized for the loss yesterday afternoon. It is plainly evident that they have given the boys some practical football training but the lads just seem to forget important bits of it when they get into the thick of the fray. However, with more experience on the field of scrimmage the backfield has possibilities of developing into a force that can work to an advantage with the line in front of it.

The game by quarters follows:

First Quarter.

Chillicothe kicked off and Nichols, for Maryville, received the pigskin, only to be held on the 38 yard line. Wilson was soon forced to punt, the ball going about 40 yards down the field. Punting, after line plays failed to gain the necessary ground for first downs, was practiced by both teams. Maryville gained considerable yardage in this fest, however. The Spoofhounds made a first down with a line play shortly before the quarter ended, Maryville, 0; Chillicothe, 0.

Second Quarter.

This period opened with the ball in Maryville's possession on the 50-yard line. Maryville punted and Chillicothe was held on the 30-yard line. The Hornets were held for three downs and had but a foot to go for the fourth down. The distance was covered by a line plunge. Holt was sent into the game and Mumma removed. An attempt at passing failed and another punting fest started. Brittain was substituted for Nichols. Zumalt was sent into the game and Holloway removed from the Hornet line-up. Maryville tried passing but failed to complete the throws. The half ended with the ball in Chillicothe's possession 70 yards from the goal. Maryville, 0; Chillicothe, 0.

Third Quarter.

Maryville kicked off and within a few minutes the Hornets had completed a 15-yard pass from Justice to Slater. Brittain completed a 20 yard pass and carried the ball to within a short distance from the goal line before running outside the field. Justice carried the ball over the line for a goal. Brittain attempted to kick goal for the extra point but the ball fell short of the cross-bar on the goal posts. Maryville kicked off. End runs proved ground-gainers for the Hornets but Alsup intercepted a pass on the 50-yard line before the Chillicothe team had advanced very far. When Chillicothe regained possession of the ball, another pass, this one for 8 yards, was completed from Justice to Botsford. Line plays allowed Chillicothe to make first down. The third quarter ended, Maryville 0, Chillicothe 6.

Fourth Quarter.

Maryville had possession of the ball 70 yards from the goal when this quarter started. Kissinger went into the game and Dooley was sent to the bench. "Red's" entry into the game had a very effective moral effect on the team and while he was able to make yardage the others were unable to keep up the pace. He was removed after a few downs so that his shoulder injured in practice a few nights ago, might not be hurt. After working the ball within 15 yards of the goal, Smith committed his foul and the ball was carried down the field. After that Maryville was unable to get the ball past the 50 yard line. The game ended with the ball in Maryville's possession 80 yards from the goal.

The line-ups:

CHILLICOTHE		MARYVILLE
Justice	Q	Bush
Brittain	RH	Dooley
Welch	LH	Wilson
Bruce	FB	Keever
Botsford	LE	Mumma
Carr	LT	Howard
Dawkins	LG	New
Arnold	C	Smith
Runkle	RG	Nichols
Hollaway	RT	Hall
Slater	RE	Alsup

Substitutions: Maryville—Holt for Mumma, Brittain for Nichols, Kissinger for Dooley, Swinford for Wilson, Thompson for New, Stanfield for Kissinger.

Chillicothe—Zumalt for Halloway.

Officials: Rice, Lafayette, St. Joseph, referee; Miller, Missouri Wesleyan, umpire; Deatherage, head linesman.

Yesterday's Football Scores.

Maryville Teachers 13, Missouri Wesleyan 0.

Maryville H. 0, Chillicothe H. 6.

William Jewell 10, Tarkio 0.

Warrensburg Teachers 27, Drury 0.

Kirksville Teachers 34, Kemper Military academy 0.

Savannah H. 0, Lafayette H. 0.

Rock Port H. 61, Mound City 0.

Returns to California.

F. M. Compton of Pasadena, Calif., who has been in Maryville on business for the last month left this morning for his home. On the return trip he will stop in Denver and Grand Junction, Colo.

Married by Judge Sayler.

A marriage license was issued today to Homer V. Mason of St. Joseph and Wilmina Hughes of Maryville. They were married by Judge J. H. Sayler, justice of peace.

Mrs. Bennett Dougan and daughter returned to their home in Rosendale today after a visit with relatives here.

There are no "average" men, the Clothcraft tailors say, and so they make suits for tall men, stout chaps, stocky fellows, the slim individual, the one with short legs and long body, long legs and short body—and for you, good sir, whatever your build. "Can't fit you?" Of course we can, perfectly, in

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Among the Schools of Nodaway County

HI-Y PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED

MEMBERS WILL VISIT FIVE PROTESTANT CHURCHES.

16 BIBLE CLASSES

Walter Allen Heads Organization; Dr. C. C. James, Chairman of Advisory Board.

The Hi-Y Club of the Maryville High School, instituted with the purpose, "To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character," has outlined a program of weekly meetings to last until May 18 and in addition a number of special activities are being planned. A merit system has been established.

Efforts to combat undermining influences of high school life are made in the concentrated efforts of the thirty-eight boys comprising its membership.

Plans are being made to visit the five Protestant churches of the city every third Sunday until each has been visited. This activity was carried through last year. Another plan is to visit every third Sunday an evening Christian society of the town.

A Father and Son Banquet.

The second annual Father and Son banquet will be held early in November. The Hi-Y hopes to make it a wider feature and to make it possible for more boys to attend who are not Hi-Y members. A Hi-Y reunion may be featured in connection with the father and son gathering.

The fourteenth conference season of older boys conference opens the latter part of November under the auspices of the state "Y" association, and finances are being secured to send representatives to the Trenton meet. A committee of boys has arranged with the management of the Missouri Theatre to sponsor a show October 26,the proceeds of which will be used for this purpose.

The organization offers its members sixteen Bible study classes throughout the school year. These gatherings will be held at the high school building a part of the time and in homes of the boys at other times. The classes will cover important fields of Bible knowledge and interpretation.

The Year's Programs.

The schedule of weekly programs for the year follow:

October 6—A Clean School, Series 2; October 13—Program by Hi-Y Board; October 20—Respect for Authority; October 27—Chivalry.

November 3—Joint Session With Girl Reserves; November 10—Honesty In and Out of School; November 17—Election of Conference Delegates; November 24—Gratitude.

December 8—The Stewardship of Time; December 15—Assembly For 4th Hour Study Hall Boys; December 22—The Smutty Story.

January 5—My Assets and Liabilities; January 12—Hi-Y Graduation; January 19—Profanity; January 26—World Outlook.

February 2—Program by Faculty; February 9—What Does It Involve To Be a Christian?; February 16—What About Money?; February 23—Talk by a Business Man.

March 2—How Shall I Choose My Life Work?; March 9—Choosing My College; March 16—Talk by Minister; March 23—The Problem of Stealing; March 30—Talk by L. E. Ziegler.

April 6—Leadership; April 13—Program by Hi-Y Alumni; April 20—Christ, a Personal Savior, April 27—Program by College Y. M. C. A.

May 4—Decision Meeting; May 11—Mothers' Day; May 18—Hi-Y Graduation.

Merit System Instituted.

A merit system has been established within the club, this is the only Hi-Y Club to have such a system. The minimum is 970 merits and the maximum is 1775 merits.

The awards are made as follows:

Service task (individually), fifty merits; service on long-term committee, sixty merits; service on special committee, forty merits; prepared talk or discussion, forty merits; originality in Hi-Y work, fifty merits; presiding as chairman, forty-five merits; supply of music (individually), forty-five merits; attending church five times, in each case, fifty merits; attending young peoples society on Sunday evening five times, in each case, fifty merits; attending Bible class sixteen times, east case, fifty merits; attending older boys conference, fifty merits and fifty additional merits if at own expense; knowledge of Hi-Y purpose, slogan, objective and dynamic, forty-five merits.

The merit system will provide a record of each individual's work in the club and serve as an aid in nominating officers for the netx year.

The officers of the club are:

President, Walter Allen; vice-president, Erman Barrett; secretary, Darroll Boeppler; treasurer, Carl LeRoy Fisher; sponsor, L. L. St. Clair.

Dr. C. C. James Heads Board.

The board is under the chairmanship of Dr. C. C. James, pastor of the First Methodist Church, assisted by Martin Lewis, Jr. A third man to serve on the board will be nominated by the council of the Hi-Y Monday and elected by the club Wednesday morning of next week.

The members of the council are Walter Allen, Erman Barrett, Darroll Boeppler, Carl LeRoy Fisher, Marvin Lyle, Lawrence Wray, Ben Thompson, Walter Mutz and L. L. St. Clair.

The members of the program committee are Erman Barrett, chairman, Paul Whaley and Orville Bennett.

The members of the service committee are Walter Mutz, chairman, Paul Bratcher and George Epperson.

The members of the Bible study committee are Lawrence Wray, chairman, Harold Daniels and Homer Warner.

The members of the merits committee are Marvin Lyle, chairman, Donald Price and Darroll Boeppler.

The members of the membership committee are Ben Thompson, chairman, Edward Dietz and Lewis Moore.

Others on the club roll are:

Glenn Litsch, Lon Eckles, Clyde Gibson, Cleo Yehle, Wilbur Frankum, Jack Gray, Kenneth Greeson, Ralph Hudson, Edward Hudson, Lloyd Conrad, Calvin Allen, Frank Nichols, Jack Sorrie, Veldron Anderson, Paris Phipps, Ned Swinford, Walter Dow, Bill Anderson, Pete Dietz, Halbert Catterson, and David Moore.

In the club roll there are four sets of brothers.

School for Janitors Sponsored by Church

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 2.—If you lived in Kansas City this winter and your apartment was cold during the day, or there was not hot water, it would probably be because your janitor was at school. For Kansas City is to have a school for the training of janitors and porters.

The Rev. Arthur E. Rankin, pastor of the St. Paul Presbyterian Church, Negro, here, has announced that his church will sponsor this winter such a school for the thousands and more colored janitors and porters in Kansas City.

"The work is becoming more and more specialized," Rankin said, and it shall be our efforts to train the men so as to best perform their duties."

The curriculum of the school will include:

For janitors. Firing coal and oil burners, operation and use of stationary vacuum cleaners, small plumbing repairs and how to make electric connections.

For porters: the care of offices and buildings, window washing and operation of scrubbing machines and floor polishers.

40 Students Will Go to St. Joseph

Forty tsudents of the State Teachers College here are planning to go to St. Joseph Wednesday to visit the industrial plants. The student-trip will be under the direction of L. M. Eek. The chamber of commerce at St. Joseph will entertain the party at luncheon at the Hotel Robidoux.

ELMO SCHOOL NOTES.

In spite of the disagreeable roads and weather, the average daily attendance for the month was 238 out of the 260 enrolled.

The second intermediate room lost a pupil when Russell McCord moved to Omaha, where he is now attending school.

The juniors are preparing an assembly program which will be given next week.

The basketball game which was to be played with Clearmont last Friday was not played, as the visiting team failed to come.

Two interesting basketball games were played last Friday night between the seniors and juniors and the sophomores and freshmen boys. The juniors lost to the seniors by a score of 17 to 13. The sophomores lost to the freshmen by a score of 16 to 12.

ROCKFORD IN FIRST CLASS

COUNTY AGAIN HAS FORTY STATE APPROVED SCHOOLS.

CERTIFICATE RECEIVED

Recognition of Several Others Is Expected, Keeping County in First Place.

Nodaway County's total of approved first class rural schools was put back at forty this week, when Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, received a state certificate for district 113, known as the Rockford district, about seven miles southwest of Maryville.

The county had forty first class schools last spring, at the end of the first year the new regulations were in effect, and Nodaway led all the counties of the state. Before the opening of school this fall, however, the directors of the Ravenwood consolidated district decided to close one of their ward schools, which was first class, and to transport the pupils to the central building in Ravenwood. This left only thirty-nine first class schools in the county.

The addition of Rockford puts the total back where it was before, and County Superintendent Somerville expects other schools to be recognized soon.

To win the first class rating, the Rockford patrons changed the lighting of the school and made other minor improvements. There are thirteen pupils enrolled this year, and Miss Ella Lee Decker is the teacher.

Alfred Jones is president of the Rockford board of directors, Dale Partridge is clerk and Cleo Henshaw is the other member.

Savannah Teacher Here.

Miss Mary Sue Hopkins, teacher training instructor at the Savannah High School, came last night for a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. George C. Butts.

LaBelle School Has Enrollment of 30

Opened With 32, But Two Pupils Moved Out Of District.—Much New Equipment Added.

La Belle school, near Ravenwood, has an enrollment this year of thirty pupils. When school opened on August 30, there were thirty-two, but in the second week two pupils Paul and Stanley Joy, moved from the district.

New Equipment of the school includes new tan window shades, a new flag, a new volley ball, a new pencil sharpener, and new textbooks and supplementary reading books.

The first visitor of the school year was W. F. Sager of Stanberry, who made a short talk.

Other notes from LaBelle district follow:

Eva Eckstein is again in school after a two weeks illness of scarlet fever.

Arch and Ed Spoonemore of LaBelle neighborhood were in Gentry on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Comer were visitors at the E. E. Lawson home Sunday.

Mr. Larmer whose farm adjoins the school had a sale of purebred cattle Tuesday. The ladies of the LaBelle Farm Club served the lunch at the sale.

Wednesday, September 22, the school surprised Frances Anderson with a picnic dinner in honor of her birthday.

The A Class has made two health posters.

The A, B, and C classes are having a spelling contest in the form of a race across the United States. The C. class is leading.

Ward and Dorothy Anderson have missed because of illness this week.

GAYNOR ECHOES.

The average daily attendance at Gaynor School last month was 23 7-20, with an enrollment of 24 students. Considering the weather and the distance that it was necessary for the children to travel, the report is considered fairly satisfactory. However, the pupils will strive to make a better showing in the month to come.

Wedding bells rang in our community last Saturday when Laura Garrard became the wife of Leo Owens, of Burlington Junction.

The following are the supplementary books used in each of the reading classes this quarter: "A" class, "The Vision of Sir Launfal;" "B" class, "The Year Out of Doors," and "Stories From the Old Testament," and "C" class, "Japanese Fairy Tales."

Densel Cooper was absent Monday and Tuesday on account of illness.

Those present every day last month were: Helen Killion, Laura Madge Sharr, Kathleen Early, Drexel Koger, Gerald Johnson, Donald Hepburn, Keith Nigh, Garland Johnson, Laveta Archer, Angeline New, Estelle Thomas, Lucile Stickles, Olin Cooper and Densel Cooper.

The high school students enjoyed a "pep" meeting at their assembly period Wednesday morning. Caroline Edwards, a senior, was chosen yell leader.

Room 1 Winner of Franklin Pennant

Committees Are Named By Mrs. L. A. Myers, President Of P. T. A. Circle.

The Franklin circle of the Parent Teacher Association met at the school Thursday afternoon. The circle president, Mrs. L. A. Myers presided.

At the business session, the second Thursday of each school month was selected as the time for the regular meeting.

The pennant offered each month for the largest percentage of parents attending was awarded to Room 1.

Mrs. F. A. Bush, president of the Maryville P. T. A. Council, spoke on "Informed Parenthood." The rest of the program was in charge of the teachers, Misses Frances Holliday, Frances Carr and Vesta Wright. Miss Carr directed a get-acquainted game, after which refreshments of ice cream and wafers were served by the teachers, assisted by Mary Joe Dryer, Vandella Wood, Anna Margaret Alkire, Elizabeth Alkire, Esther Butler and Gaun Williams.

The following committees were named by Mrs. Myers:

Social Committee—Mrs. R. C. Persons.

Program Cimmittee—Chairman, Mrs. W. D. Williams, Mrs. Marion Smith, Mrs. Fred French, Miss Frances Holliday.

Membership Committee—Chairman, Mrs. L. G. Somerville; Mrs. Virgil Hartness, Mrs. Clement B. Hahn, Mrs. R. C. Person.

Publicity—Mrs. E. L. Wilson.

Courtesy—Mrs. Will Phares.

Finance—Mrs. Gorman Powers.

Pickering Seniors To Give Play Soon

Freshman Class Elects Officers; Farewell Party Held For Clifford Croy.

The senior class of the Pickering High School is preparing a play, "The Poor Married Man", which will be presented soon.

The freshman class of the high school has organized and announces the following officers: president, Ova Swaney; vice president, Morris Garten; secretary-treasurer, Maxine Simmons; sponsor, Garland Miller.

Last week members of the high school marched down town and gave some of their yells and songs before the Quitman and Pickering ball game. Although only a small number went, good school spirit was shown. Everyone is invited to attend the games and help the team.

A farewell party for Clifford Croy, who was a member of the sophomore class, was held September 22, at C. G. Swinford's timber southeast of town. Those present were: Misses Marie McGinness, Mabel Mann, Opal, Ova and Margarete Swaney, Huldah Lunte, Mr. Galand McGinness, Emery Zook, Doyle Grimmitt, Donovan Ingles and John Gray.

The Intermediate Room has been making health posters and various artistic borders. The pupils have also been keeping records in reading and spelling by means of charts. Those having the highest score for the month in spelling are as follows: Fourth grade, Marie Gray; Fifth grade, Johnny Hollensbee; Sixth grade, Lester Swaney and Robert Mann.

Those ranking highest in reading were: Fourth grade, Jean Swinford; Fifth grade, Johnny Hollensbe; Sixth grade, Verlene Wilson and Ruby Gray.

Gladys Berniece Ingles and Dorothy Gossard, primary pupils, have been absent from school the last few days on account of sickness.

Mrs. Fern Crull, Junior Red Cross representative, visited the school last week and left two Christmas boxes in each room of the grades to be filled for the children in foreign countries by the time of her arrival next month.

From the records of the weather made by the general science class, the following data is given: eighteen cloudy days, five partly cloudy and six clear. Nineteen of these days have been cool and ten warm. The lowest record of the temperature has been 48 degrees F. and the highest 78 degrees F.

BLOOMFIELD SCHOOL NEWS

The first month of school closed last Friday with an average daily attendance of only 12½. This is the lowest average since January 1925. High water has made it impossible for regular attendance. Some sickness due to inclement weather is responsible for low averages of attendance.

An interesting debate was held in the Government class Tuesday morning. The debate was: Resolved that immigration to U. S. must be restricted. The affirmative was taken by Iven McClurg and the negative was taken by Anna Bell Hollensbe. The negative won the decision.

Leland and LeRoy Morrow are attending the State Teachers College this winter.

A basket ball team has been organized and the first game will probably be played Friday evening with the "Pickering Goats".

We also would like to have a game with the Bloomdale cagers at some early date.

The Agriculture class have finished a thorough study of beef cattle and have begun the study of insects and their damage.

A number of fine improvements have been added to our school room.

Some excellent work is being done in the "A" art class. Some splendid work is being done with India ink.

Eddie Carmichael, Helen Carmichael, Curtis Hanna, Verlin Morrow and Donald Carmichael are the only ones who have perfect attendance records.

HEDGE COLLEGE

There have been two birthdays in the school this week. Mary Trosper was six years old and Arella Garten was twelve years old.

Mary Trosper brought her birthday cake to school and shared it with the teacher and pupils.

The B Class has been taking some tests the past week to see how they are getting along in their work.

The A and B classes are planning some agriculture and Health posters.

So far we have had no absents or tardies this term; "Lets keep the good work going."

The agriculture class has been locating the different parts of hogs and beef cattle this week.

ELMO SCHOOL GETS PRAISE

STATE SUPERINTENDENT COMPLIMENTS DISTRICT.

AGAIN IN FIRST CLASS

Teachers and Pupils Doing Good Work and Equipment Satisfactory, Says Report.

Elmo High School has been placed again on the list of state approved first class high schools, according to a letter received a few days ago from State Superintendent Charles A. Lee by J. W. McClaren, secretary of the board of education at Elmo.

In addition to approving the school, the state superintendent compliments the district highly. His letter follows:

"Dear Mr. McClaren:

"I have the report of the high school inspector who visited your school September 17. He was very favorably impressed with your school as a whole. Your teachers and pupils are doing good work, and your equipment is very satisfactory. I am, therefore, pleased to continue your school on the list as a first class school, with 18¾ units of work approved for this year.

"I note that you have ordered a complete set of silent readers for your grade pupils, and have also secured the pictures that were suggested by the inspector last year. The report also shows that you have spent $100 for high school reference books and $80 for additional equipment in your laboratory.

"I am always glad to receive such a favorable report and I assure you that I will be glad to serve you at any time that I can be of any assistance in building up the schools in your community.

"Sincerely yours,

"CHAS. A. LEE,

"State superintendent."

Community Meeting Held at Star School

The first community meeting of this term was given at the Star school, Friday evening, Sept. 24. It was held in honor of the birthday of Frances E. Willard. A temperance program was rendered by the pupils. Reverend J. Howard Thompson gave an address on "The Work of Frances E. Willard." Refreshments of pumpkin pie, coffee, sandwiches and pickles were served by the ladies of the district assisted by the pupils. About sixty-five persons were present.

There are fourteen pupils enrolled in the Star school. The average daily attendance for the first month was 13 11-14.

John Brown was taken to the St. Francis hospital Sunday. He is suffering from appendicitis.

BUNKER HILL ITEMS.

A new stove was installed in our schoolhouse Saturday by the Roof and LaFavor Hardware Co.

Fred Lewis and family visited at the Frank Griffey home of Maryville Sunday.

Willa Porch was winner in the A class of the spelling contest for last month. Dorothy Porch and Marcel Rauch tied for honors in the "B" class and Georgia Porch won in the "C" class.

Last Thursday our agriculture class visited the Wayne Gray farm and were shown a young Hereford calf, Bonnie Blanchard, that is being fattened for the baby beef show at Grant City the coming week. He belongs to C. F. Gray, who won third place at that place last year.

Troy Bloomfield and family visited at the Ralph Lewis home Sunday.

EXCELSIOR SCHOOL.

Mrs. Charles Baker and Mrs. Dow Huntsman visited school last Friday.

We extend a cordial welcome to all visitors.

The A class in English is busy making "Good English Posters" this week.

The pupils are working this month on a Health Chart to see who can get the most stars.

The A agriculture clas is studying beef cattle. Heretofore, they have been making a survey of the farm animals.

Unadean Harmon, Burnadean Harmon and Ross Dowell Weaver were absent from school last week, due to the death of their grandfather, William Weaver.

Ros Dowell Weaver was absent from school Monday, due to an infection in his finger.

Teachers of Nodaway County 1926-1927

Maryville High School.

Superintendent, L. E. Ziegler; principal, L. L. St. Clair; vocational agriculture, Elmer Coates; manual arts, Hugh Graham; physical education and athletics, Wallace Croy; English, Laura B. Hawkins and Fannie Hope; vocational home economics, Mabel Cook and Elizabeth Leet; Latin, Mrs. Virgil Rathbun; French, Ruth Bookman; science, Mrs. Vern Manley; commerce, Mabel Marx; mathematics, Mabel Messick; English, Augusta Quell; mathematics and dramatics, Anna Crane; history, Bertha Northcutt.

First grade teachers: Dena Hartman, Mrs. B. E. Condon, Vesta Wright.

Second grade teachers: Rosella Froman, Mrs. E. T. Dale, Frances Carr.

Third grade teachers: Helen Spangler, Charlotte Welchel, Frances Holliday.

Fourth grade teachers: Katherine Harrison.

Fifth grade teachers: Marie Chandler, Anna Mae Holt.

Sixth grade teachers: Louise Peery, Vella Booth.

Seventh grade teachers: Charlene Qualls, Lizetta G. Gray.

Eighth grade teachers: Mary Ford, Esther Busby.

Colored School: Mrs. O. E. Booth, jr.

45. Hedge College, S. D. Baker, Clearmont.
46. Gray Grove, Mrs. Pearl Meek, Burlington Junction.
47. Lone Valley, E. Jane Swinford, Burlington Junction.
48. Sunrise, Hazel Herrington, Pickering.
49. Glendale, Gretchen Bishop, Pickering.
51. Mowery, Margaret Snider, Pickering.
52. Bloomdale, Raymond Houston, Pickering.
53. Mozingo Valley, Gladys Croy, Pickering.
54. Snow Ball, Cleva Wilson, Parnell.
60. Long Branch, Mildred Gonser, Pickering.
62. Myrtle Tree, H. Callie Burket, Maryville.
63. Bloomfield, John Hood, Pickering.
64. Mt. Pleasant, Marie Kroonblawd, Pickering.
65. Olwell, Dorothy McCord, Maryville.
69. Hardesty, Roy Ferguson, Burlington Junction.
71. Pleasant Valley, Mrs. W. C. Urban, Burlington Junction.
72. Hagey, Charlene McHugh, Burlington Junction.
73. Eudora, Margaret Parker, Burlington Junction.
76. Star, Vesper N. Crane, Burlington Junction.
77. Carter, Grace E. Hall, Quitman.
81. Herren, Roma McGinnis, Maryville.
82. Elm Grove, Elizabeth Shamberger, Maryville.
83. Union, Mary McCurry, Maryville.
84. Highland, Mrs. O. K. Busby, Maryville.
87. Wilcox, Alta Moore, Parnell.
88. Morning View, Sylvia Adcock, Ravenwood.
90. Munkers, Eva Powell, Ravenwood.
95. Douglas, Alma Stackhouse, Maryville.
96. Council Corner, Harry H. Burr, Maryville.
99. Lasher, Bernice Holt, Maryville.
110. Pleasant Hill, Grace Lencey, Maryville.
111. Gill, Zelpha Long, Maryville.
112. Peace and Harmony, Dollie Rea Logan, Skidmore.
113. Rockford, Ella Lee Decker, Maryville.
114. Belle Grove, Helen Joy Bolin, Maryville.
115. Martha Washington, Jessie Murphy, Maryville.
116. Mt. Ayr, Helen Leamer, Maryville.
117. Bedison, Effie Henderson, Bedison.
122. Labelle, Irene Goff, Ravenwood.
123. Green Valley, Lola O'Day, Clyde.
124. Clyde, Nora Felix, Clyde.
127. Swinford, Mrs. Henry Hansen, Conception Junction.
128. Rose Hill, Ruth Decker, Conception Junction.
129. Jones Branch, Charley Carr, Maryville.
130. Scudder, L. L. King, Maryville.
131. Swallow, Myrl Shamberger, Maryville.
132. Highland, Hazel Hilsenbeck, Skidmore.
133. East Star, Gladys Busby, Maryville.
142. Elkhorn, Harriet Warren, Skidmore.
143. Morgan, Grace Morris, Skidmore.
145. Blackman, Pauline Ringold, Maryville.
146. Arkoe, Grace O'Brien, Arkoe.
147. Black Oak, Mattie Wyatt, Barnard.
148. Fox, Lawrence Thompson, Barnard.
149. Mt. Joy, Frances O'Donnell, Conception Junction.
150. Green, Marguerite Riley, Barnard.
151. Immaculate Conception, Mary Wirth, Clyde; Sr. M. Albertina, Conception.
152. St. Mary's, Alice Lawler, Clyde; Dorthy Busby, Clyde.
153. McCann, Mary Frankin, Guilford.
154. Pleasant View, Chester Anderson, Guilford.
155. White Oak, Leona Whorton, Conception.
156. Liberty, John Curnutt, Barnard.
157. Fairview, Ruth Wohlford, Barnard.
158. Davis, Opal Thompson, Barnard.
159. Trego, Mildred New, Barnard.
163. Hazel Dell, Harold Sipes, Graham.
164. Barnes, Giola Eckles, Graham.
165. Maple Grove, Albert Fannon, Barnard.
166. Central, Mildred Armstrong, Barnard.
170. Washington, Grace Leach, Stanberry.
171. Lafayette, Lilburn James, Stanberry.
172. Lincoln, Emmitt Ham, Guilford.
173. Whiteford, Warren Wilson, Guilford.
174. Dougan, Riva Kent, Bolckow.
175. White Hall, Mrs. Gladys Ferguson, Bolckow.
176. Harmon, Mrs. Elizabeth Sims, Maryville.
177. Baker, Hildred DeNeen, Barnard.
178. Common Sense, Lois Hartman, Barnard.
179. Singery, Mary Gex, Graham.
180. Miller, Lucy Black, Graham.

St. Marys Parochial School, Sr. M. Petronella, Sr. M. Baptista, Maryville.

The VANITY CASE

by Carolyn Wells

NEA FICTION

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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

MRS. PRENTISS sees lights mysteriously appear and disappear in the **HEATH** household next door one night and the next day Harbor Gardens, Long Island, is agog with the murder of **MYRA HEATH** and the disappearance of her husband, **PERRY.**

House guests of the Heaths are **LAWRENCE INMAN**, heir to Myra's fortune, and **BUNNY MOORE**, vivacious, golden-haired, to whom suspicion points because of her refusal to answer questions.

Myra Heath was peculiar: She never used cosmetics, never wore colors. She had a mania for collecting glass, and it was a rare old whisky bottle from her collection that the murderer used to kill her. Candles were burning at her head and feet and nearby was a card marked, "The Work of Perry Heath." Strangest of all, she was heavily made up and garbed in gay colors.

The peculiar thing about Heath's disappearance is that all the windows and doors had been locked on the inside the night before and were found that way in the morning. Finger prints of Bunny Moore and Inman were found on the bottle.

At the Country Club the murder is discussed by **SAM ANDERSON**, Heath's rival for the club presidency; **AL CUNNINGHAM**, who is trying to solve the crime, and others. Some believe Heath the murderer. Anderson disagrees. **TODHUNTER BUCK**, nephew of Mrs. Prentiss and in love with Bunny, suggests to Cunningham that Heath also may have been murdered.

EMMA, a waitress in the Heath home, tells of Seeing Bunny ascend the stairs about the time of the murder, carrying her vanity case. Later Bunny is amazed to get a phone call from Perry Heath advising her to keep silent.

Detective Mott puts Bunny under a grilling, acuses her of the crime and she faints.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

CHAPTER XXVI.

Todhunter Buck sprang to catch her, his own lips white and quivering with fury.

"How dare you?" he cried, "no police authority gives you a right to frighten a young lady like that!"

"Don't show contempt for the law, or interfere with its processes, Mr. Buck," Mott said, sternly, in no wise disconcerted by Tod's outburst.

It was at this moment that Al Cunningham arrived.

He looked curiously at the little group.

Bunny, whose faintness had been merely momentary, was clinging to Buck's arm, her face drawn with fear and terror, her whole frame trembling with nervous excitement.

Inman was apparently dazed—his hands moved twitchingly and he was looking wildly about, but was seemingly unable to speak.

Mott was stern, implacable, like an avenging instrument of the law, and Todhunter Buck was trying to control himself, and master the situation.

Scenting a good chance, as Cunningham's entrance made a slight diversion, Buck whispered to Bunny, "Come on!" and without further ceremony, he led her swiftly through one of the open French windows, across the terrace and over across the lawn to his aunt's house.

"My dear child!" said that good lady, as she took the distressed girl in her arms, "what have they been doing to you?"

"They've been persecuting her, Aunt Emily," the nephew declared hotly. "That man Mott is a brute! a beast! I wouldn't have minded if he had asked Bunny questions, if he had been courteous about it I wouldn't have minded even his accusations, if he had shown a decent consideration for her. But he banged his talk like a sledge-hammer, and he glowered at the poor little thing like a demon of wrath—oh, he was horrible!"

By reason of Toddy's valiant indignation and Mrs. Prentiss' cooing endearments, Bunny began to revive her drooping spirits and recover her poise.

"You are both so good to me!" she exclaimed, "it sort of makes up for that awful man's treatment of me. How could he say I would—do—do that to Myra! Oh, Mrs. Prentiss, who did do it? Who killed her? And who could touch up her face after she was dead? Perry couldn't do that! I'm sure he couldn't—and Larry couldn't—"

"What about the servants?" Mrs. Prentiss was secretly devoured with curiosity.

"It's too absured to imagine Herrick doing that, and none of the others was about—"

"Emma," suggested Mrs. Prentiss.

"Oh, Emma, she couldn't use a lipstick as that one was used!"

"Her husband could have done it," put in Tod.

"Oh, no!" Bunny looked agonized. "They were not entirely congenial, but he never would kill her!"

"But didn't he often urge her to use color on her face?" persisted Mrs. Prentiss, still curious.

"Yes, we all did. We coaxed her to try it now and then. But nobody could make Myra do anything she didn't want to do."

"Did Carter, her maid, want her to use make-up?" said Toddy suddenly.

"Oh yes, but she had stopped asking Myra to do so. Myra had scolded her too often for suggesting it."

"I'll bet she's the murderer, then," said Buck, thoughtfully. "She had opportunity, in the sense that anyone in the house had opportunity. She had motive if, as I've heard, Mrs. Heath left her a sum of money in her will. And if she did kill her mistress, she's the only one in the house who could apply that careful make-up, and who would have the callousness, the heartlessness to do it. Why, if you or Mr. Inman or Mr. Heath had killed the lady, not one of you could have been so devoid of common human feelings as to put on that make-up!"

Bunny gave him a grateful glance. "Of course we couldn't!" she exclaimed. "And, though it seems too dreadful to suspect Carter, yet—well, she is a mysterious sort of woman—"

"How?" eagerly inquired Mrs. Prentiss.

"Oh, nobody knows anything about her early life, where she came from and all that. Then, she has a fearful temper—Myra discharged her three times for impudence and tantrums."

"It was certainly a crime of passion," Buck said, musingly. "You see, Mrs. Heath, for some reason, went down to the studio late at night. Then somebody came to her there, and had—must have had a discussion with her, that became a quarrel, a desperate quarrel, and resulted in the person, whoever it may have been, impulsively grabbing up that bottle and bashing Mrs. Heath on the temple. When the poor lady died, the heartless, soulless murderer, proceeded to make up that dead face, to see how she would look. And, you see, Bunny, they used your vanity case. That is pretty well proved, too, I think. Now, how did that vanity case get back in your room?"

Though Buck spoke casually, Bunny looked up at him quickly, to see if he were laying a trap for her.

But if so, he got small satisfaction.

"I don't know," she said, simply.

"Didn't you carry it upstairs, late at night, at half past one, as Emma declares?"

Todhunter Buck spoke gently, but he evidently expected an answer.

"No," said Bunny. "Emma made that up. She is a born liar."

Buck said no more, but lighting a cigaret, he strolled out on the porch.

Meantime, Al Cunningham was listening to Mott's emphatic statements that the Moore Baby was the murderer of her friend and hostess.

Larry Inman treated the idea with scornful contempt, but Cunningham, with open mind, listened to the detective's arguments.

"You see, it couldn't have been Heath himself," Mott declared, "because he went away after the house was locked up. I haven't a doubt but that he was the man seen by the chap who sat in the back arbor with Katie, at about one o'clock that night. In fact, the young fellow has declared himself certain that it was Heath who sneaked away from the house. Well, the whole thing occurred after that, do you see? Very likely Mrs. Heath saw her husband out, and locked the door after him. He was in the habit, I'm told, of going off to New York suddenly and unexpectedly, and nobody thought anything of it. Then, say, Mrs. Heath came back to the studio. Somebody came to her there, and that somebody killed her. It must have been somebody in the house. As to the question of Miss Moore, there are too many positive bits of evidence against that girl to let suspicion stray in any other direction. She was in love with the husband, therefore, of course, jealous of the wife."

"Look here, Mott," Larry burst forth, "I will not sit here and hear that child maligned without a word of protest. Miss Moore is absolutely incapable of such a thing as murder!"

"Don't be absurd, Mr. Inman." Mott's tones were icy, relentless. "Just because a woman is young and pretty, she can't be put outside the pale of suspicion. Miss Moore's finger-prints are on the bottle, under your own. Miss Moore's vanity case was used, also her crimson scarf. Miss Moore was seen going upstairs with that vanity case in her hand after the time the murder is assumed by the medical men to have been committed. Miss Moore was found crying wildly in bed the next morning, when the servant came to tell her of the tragedy. She already knew it! I have checked up all my facts, I have sifted all the evidence, and I find no flaw in my reasoning, no loophole of escape from my convictions. I, too, am amazed at such a crime at the hands of such a young and beautiful girl."

"Your arguments are not without truth and justice, Mr. Mott," Cunningham said, very seriously. "And it does seem that you have evidence, of a sort, against Miss Moore. Are you going to arrest her?"

"Not immediately. But she is under surveillance, and an attempt to leave Gaybrook Harbor would, of course, result in her detention. But we have reason to believe she has knowledge of Mr. Heath's movements. He doubtless knows of her crime, and is lying low against the time when she can get away and join him. Then they will both disappear and never be heard of again."

"You know this?" asked Cunningham, gravely.

"Not by actual proof, but by the strongest implications. And here comes my messenger now, with word of Heath's present whereabouts."

Mott unfolded a note brought him by a boy, and with a brief ejaculation of annoyance, he declared:

"Well, I suspected as much! When Heath telephoned Miss Moore this morning he was in New York, in a pay station."

(To Be Continued).

LOSS OF NERVE FORCE AFFECTS EYES

A Person's Mental Progress May Be Blocked by Imperfect Sight, Which in Turn Often Tears Down Physical Well-Being.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.
United States Senator From New York.
Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.

DR. ROYAL S. COPELAND

In the Winter-time when the wind blows we stay in the house a lot. We read more during the long Winter evenings than we do in the Summer.

It won't be long now before we will be enjoying the pleasures of Winter nights. If we are going to do much reading, it is important to know the eyes are in proper condition. How long has it been since you had your glasses changed?

You may say you never wear glasses. If you are approaching forty years of age or have passed that milestone, it will be a good thing to have your eyes looked over to see if glasses are needed. It is surprising for what a long period the use of glasses is deferred. Everybody who has anything to do with the fitting of glasses knows that it is an accident usually which sends the victim of poor eyesight for an examination. There may be chronic head-ache, shoulder-ache, neck-ache, indigestion, and a lot of symptoms which are rarely referred to the eyes. After testing the vision and getting the right glasses, all these symptoms may disappear.

Many a child has been counted stupid in school who isn't stupid at all. The need of glasses is responsible for an inability to study. When the right glasses have been adjusted the child surprises the teacher by his progress.

It is a good rule to have the glasses looked over at least once in two years. Try to recall when you had yours fitted. If it was two years or more ago it is time to have a re-examination.

I want to impress upon you the relationship of defective vision to poor health. Anything which offers an opportunity for the drainage of nerve energy may be responsible for poor health. If you have a tendency to nervousness, loss of sleep, or obscure symptoms of any sort, think about the eyes. Perhaps the whole trouble may be located there.

In an examination of the eyes each eye is tested separately, both for distant vision and for near vision. In fitting the glasses an effort is made to make the vision of one eye exactly the same as the vision of the other. When this is done the eyes work together, and reading or other use of the eyes is comfortably done.

Sometimes glasses fail to give relief because no test was made of the eye muscles to see if the movements of the eye are normal. There must be team work on the part of the eyes to have the most comfortable vision. Each eye must move in harmony with its fellow so that each eye will all the time be properly directed at the object looked at. We refer to this feature as the proper balancing of the eyes.

Answers To Health Queries.

S. S. Q.—What is psoriasis? 2—Is it contagious? 3—What do you advise.

A.—Psoriasis is a chronic inflammatory disease of the skin characterized by the development of reddish patches covered with whitish scales. The disease affects especially the extensor surfaces of the body. 2—No. 3—This requires special attention to the digestion. Constipation is an important factor and, even though th bowels move daily, there may be sluggishness. For full information send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

M. S. Q.—How much should a girl weigh who is 21 years old and 5 ft. 4 in. tall? 2—What causes my heart to thump when climbing stairs?

A.—For her age and height she should weigh about 126 pounds.

2.—This may be due to poor circulation.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Ulmer had for Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harry King and children, of Maryville.

Mrs. Robert Ramsey and little daughter, Darlene Mae, spent Wednesday night in Maryville, the guests of her brother, Ernest Thull and family.

Mrs. Loy Blanchard, who has been quite ill for sometime is much better.

WORKMAN CHAPEL.

Miss Georgia Wilson returned to school Monday after a week's absence.

Lester Piveral and Miss Loberta Meadow spent Sunday with Mrs. Herman Sears.

Miss Maye Pierson spent Sunday with Misses Pauline and Irene Koger.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Britton and son, Cople, were visitors at Sid Ewing's Sunday evening.

The roads and bridges in this community are in bad shape, due to the hard rains, part of the bridges being out on the mail route and the mail carrier comes every other day.

A number of people of this community attended Cople Porterfield's funeral at Clearmont Monday. The Porterfield family have the sympathy of Cople's many friends in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Britton and daughter spent Sunday with Glenn Britton and family in Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Carmichael and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Carmichael and family.

On account of the bad roads we have had no church services at the Chapel for a month, but will continue as soon as the weather permits.

Twenty-nine were present at Sunday School Sunday.

WHITE CLOUD

Ol Coleman shipped his steers he had been fattening to St. Joseph Monday. He received $11.25 for them, only one sale receiving more that day and it consisted of choice registered stuff. Ol went down Monday evening to see them sell Tuesday morning.

Elmer Hanna and Will Boyd did some work on the "bottom road" Saturday. If it had not been for the rains following, the road would have been improved a good deal.

BLOOMDALE ITEMS

Mrs. John Horn and daughter Ruth, of near Pickering, left for Springfield Mo., Tuesday evening where Mrs. Horn will visit her two daughters. She will be gone three or four weeks. Margurite Horn, who has been working in Maryville, came out home to stay while they are gone.

Thomas Latimer is putting a new roof on his double crib.

Henry Potts of this neighborhood, returned from Rosebud, South Dakota this week with a load of mules he brought from there. He reports it very dry there.

L. A. Pistole was on the St. Joseph market Monday with a load of lambs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewelle Birkenholz and Harold and Harry Copeland attended the funeral of Cople Porterfield in Clearmond Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Latimer entertained the following guests at Sunday dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Parl Runnels, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hollensbe and daughter Florence, Mrs. Charles Hollensbe and Alfretta Latimer.

The Rev. T. M. Walton and family of Pickering spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Wray.

Earl Sharr and Crystal Treese were in St. Joseph on business Monday.

Several at Market Yesterday.

Thomas Kerwin, W. A. Berg and Son, Truman Straight, C. F. Farnam, George M. Jones, Claude Peter and Asbell Brothers were among the Nodaway County stockmen who had shipments on the St. Joseph livestock market yesterday.

Mrs. H. B. McConkey returned from St. Louis yesterday morning. She had been away for three weeks.

Read the Want Ads.

World Series Attendance & Receipts Since 1905, Under Nat'l Com. Rules

Year	Games	Attendance	Receipts	Players' Share	Clubs' Share	Nat. Com's Share
1905	5	91,723	$ 68,105	$ 27,394	$ 34,170	$ 6,841
1906	6	99,845	106,550	33,402	62,493	10,655
1907	5	78,068	101,728	54,933	36,622	10,173
1908	5	62,232	94,976	46,115	39,363	9,498
1909	7	145,295	188,302	66,925	102,547	18,830
1910	5	124,222	173,980	79,075	77,510	17,398
1911	6	179,851	342,164	127,911	180,217	34,036
1912	8	251,901	490,449	147,572	293,832	49,045
1913	5	150,992	325,980	135,163	158,218	32,598
1914	4	111,009	225,739	121,898	81,266	22,573
1915	5	143,351	320,361	144,900	143,426	32,036
1916	5	162,859	385,590	162,927	184,104	38,550
1917	6	186,654	425,878	152,888	230,401	42,587
1918	6	128,483	179,619	69,117	92,539	17,961
1919	8	236,928	722,414	260,349	389,822	72,241
1920	8	178,737	564,800	161,162	146,718	56,480
1921	8	269,917	900,233	229,391	216,054	135,034
1922	5	185,947	605,475	247,309	82,436	72,738
1923	6	301,430	1,063,815	368,783	535,459	159,572
1924	7	283,665	1,093,104	331,092	598,045	163,965
1925	7	282,848	1,182,854	339,644	674,567	168,641
Total	134	3,656,161	$9,502,448	$3,425,214	$1,808,071	$1,170,477

Results of Previous World Series

Year	Winner	Loser
1844	Providence (N. L.), won 3.	New York (A. A.), won 0.
1885	Chicago (N. L.), won 3. St. Louis (A. A. O.), won 3; one tie.	
1886	St. Louis (A. A.), won 10.	
1887	Detroit (N. L.), won 10.	Chicago (N. L.), won 2.
1888	New York (N. L.), won 6.	St. Louis (A. A.), won 5.
1899	New York (N. L.), won 6.	St. Louis (A. A.), won 4.
1890	Brooklyn (N. L.), won 3. Louisville (A. A.), won 3; one tie; no champion.	Brooklyn (A. A.), won 3.
1891—1902	No series.	
1903	(First since organization of present American League).	
1904	No series.	
1905	New York (N. L.), won 4.	Philadelphia (A. L.), won 1.
1906	Chicago (A. L.), won 4.	Chicago (N. L.), won 2.
1907	Chicago (N. L.), won 4; one tie.	Detroit (A. L.), won 0; one tie.
1908	Chicago (N. L.), won 4.	Detroit (A. L.), won 1.
1909	Pittsburgh (N. L.), won 4.	Detroit (A. L.), won 3.
1910	Philadelphia (A. L.), won 4.	Chicago (N. L.), won 1.
1911	Philadelphia (A. L.), won 4.	New York (N. L.), won 3.
1912	Boston (A. L.), won 4; one tie.	New York (N. L.), won 3; one tie.
1913	Philadelphia (A. L.), won 4.	New York (N. L.), won 1.
1914	Boston (N. L.), won 4.	Philadelphia (A. L.), won 0.
1915	Boston (A. L.), won 4.	Philadelphia (A. L.), won 1.
1916	Boston (A. L.), won 4.	Brooklyn (N. L.), won 1.
1917	Chicago (A. L.), won 4.	New York (N. L.), won 2.
1918	Boston (A. L.), won 4.	Chicago (N. L.), won 2.
1919	Cincinnati (N. L.), won 5.	Chicago (A. L.), won 3.
1920	Cleveland (A. L.), won 5.	Brooklyn (N. L.), won 2.
1921	New York (N. L.), won 5.	New York (A. L.), won 3.
1922	New York (N. L.), won 4; 1 tie.	New York (A. L.), won 0; one tie.
1923	New York (A. L.), won 4.	New York (N. L.), won 2.
1924	Washington (A. L.), won 4.	New York (N. L.), won 3.
1925	Pittsburgh (N. L.), won 4.	Washington (A. L.), won 3.

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As a matter of fact, the presence of carbon in this car is a desirable condition. It serves to seal compression—to prevent power-waste. Instead of hampering and harming, and putting you to the endless inconvenience and expense of removing it, carbon literally *helps the Knight engine to perform.*

Willys-Knight Great Six prices from $1750 to $2495; f.o.b. factory. Prices and specifications subject to change without notice. The Willys Finance Plan offers unusually attractive credit terms. Willys Overland, Inc., Toledo, Ohio. Willys-Overland Sales Co. Ltd., Toronto, Canada.

WILLYS-KNIGHT *GREAT SIX*

SEWELL AUTO CO.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

TELEPHONE: HANAMO 43; FARMERS 114

Telephone your Want Ads to The Democrat-Forum and Tribune, when it is more convenient to do so, and collector will call within a day or two after the ad is printed. This is an accommodation service rendered our Want Ad patrons and payment should be made promptly on first presentation of bill.

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The Democrat-Forum and Tribune,
Maryville, Missouri.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CARD OF THANKS 3

WE WISH to thank those who were so kind to us during the sickness and death of our baby. Also the floral offerings.
Charles Shelton and family.

PERSONALS 7

IF you want a wealthy pretty sweetheart, write enclosing stamp.—Box 2459 East Cleveland, Ohio.

PROFESSIONAL 4

Dr. K. Sears
Deputy State Veterinary
Calls answered promptly day or night.
Hanamo 740-265 Farmers 97-97½

DR. GEORGE C. EOFF
Osteopathis Physician
General Practice—Obstetrics
Minor Surgery, post technique
for fallen arches
OVER MONTGOMERY SHOE STORE

BARTLETT SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL SCIENTIFIC BEAUTY CULTURE
Take your course at State Licensed School. Catalogue free.
305 Rieger Building
1121 Grand Avenue.

LOST 10

LOST—Elks watch fob.—Reward if returned to Democrat-Forum office.

AUTOMOTIVE

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE 12

SPECIAL THIS WEEK
3—1923 Ford Touring cars. Completely rebuilt and repainted. Guaranteed to please you. Your choice $185.00.
BARMANN AUTO CO.
Maryville's Ford Agent
for the Past 18 Years.

GOOD USED CARS
2—1923 Ford Tourings, cheap.
1—Dodge Brothers Sedan.
George P. Sillers
Motor Company
Third at Buchanan

Used Buicks
1926 Buick Master-Six Sedan.
George McMurry
Buick Sales and Service
East Side Square.

Automobiles For Sale

Used Car Bargains

1926 Ford Roadster with Balloon Tires.
2—1924 Ford Tourings. Good.
1925 Chevrolet Coupe. Time.
1923 Buick Touring. Good.
2 Good Ford Sedans.
2 Good Used Ford Trucks.
Ford Speedster.
Several other cheap cars.

McDonnell Chevrolet Co.
114 West Second

FOR SALE—1919 Dodge Touring; motor, paint and tires extra good, new battery.—Fisher Battery Station.

OUTSTANDING
USED CAR VALUES
1923 Overland Coupe.
1923 Overland Touring.
1921 Overland Touring.
1924 Overland Coupe Sedan. New paint, fine condition.
SEWELL AUTO CO.
Willys-Overland Fine Motor Cars

USED CARS
Are as
Dependable
as the firm
that sells them.
ARNOLD-STRONG MOTOR CO.
Second At Buchanan

BUSINESS SERVICE

THE TRADES 19

Your Tinner
Will Appreciate Your Tin—Auto Radiator and Furnace Work. All Work Guaranteed.
HEIDEMAN & LEET
East Side Square

ICE, COAL, WOOD, ETC. 20

COAL! COAL!
Just a short time until you will be burning coal
Illinois Nut
By the load, per ton, cash $6.00
Glover & Alexander

Shoemaker-Bovard
TRANSFER — STORAGE
COAL AND SAND

COAL
Royalton Franklin County lump, egg or nut; Western Kentucky lump, egg or nut; Wyoming lump.
On Track Or In Transit
WM. EVERHART

INSURANCE 21

JOHN Z. CURNUTT, solicits your insurance needs—Fire Tornado, Plate Glass, Bond,—Aetna Life & Accident. Residence Phone 3659, Mutz Building.

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED—FEMALE 26

WANTED—Student to help with house work for room and board.—116 North Walnut.

WANT HELP? Want employment? Notify employment Bureau for women and girls at Rest Room in Court House.

LADIES—We pay $20 a hundred guaranteeing cards. Opportunity for beginners. No selling. Addressed envelope brings particulars.—Universale Card, 186 William St., New York.

ADDRESS envelopes at home. Spare time. Earn $35.00 weekly. Experience unnecessary. Earnings in advance. Steady work, everything furnished.—Superior Bureau, 508 South Dearborn, Chicago.

LADIES—Make $25 to $50 weekly addressing cards at home. Experience unnecessary. 2c stamp brings full particulars.—H. Lichty, New Castle, Ind.

LADIES $25.00 weekly easy. Addressing cards at home. Spare time. Experience unnecessary. Particulars 2c stamp. Write immediately.—Harrison Service Plan, 608 South Dearborn, Chicago.

$25 weekly easy. Spare time addressing cards. No canvassing or experience necessary. Write immediately. Enclose stamp for particulars.—Elm Service, 117 North Dearborn, Chicago.

WANT ADS PAY

HELP WANTED—FEMALE 26

L. J. S., Brooklyn, N. Y., averaged $35.00 weekly. Easy homework. No experience or personal soliciting required. Particulars 2c stamp.—Wells Bureau, 101 South Wells, Chicago.

ADDRESS cards at home. Profitable work with pay in advance. Experience unnecessary. Everything furnished. Write immediately. Enclose stamp.—The Society Press, Kansas City, Kansas.

INTELLIGENT WOMEN — Without selling experience can easily earn $35 weekly taking orders for the Pic-Wie frocks, direct from factory. No district managers. Work all or part time. Write today.—Pickwick Mfg. Co., Fort Wayne, Ind.

LADIES we pay $7 per hundred for gilding cards. Pleasant work; write immediately.—King Card Co., 155 East 42nd St., N. Y.

LIVESTOCK

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES 33

FOR SALE—Purebred early Rhode Island pullets, 50 hens, $1.00 each; must be sold by October 10th. Am leaving for winter.—Mrs. Will Wells, Farmers 38-12.

THOROUGHBRED, single comb, White Leghorn Cockrels, February hatch, large and healthy; culled by J. Ross Fleetwood, county agent. Parent stock with pedigrees from 290 to 317 eggs. Parent stock certified by Missouri College of Agriculture. This flock won second in egg production in State of Missouri during April and June, third in March, fourth, February. $2.50 each at farm, satisfaction guaranteed.—Mrs. F. C. Barber, Skidmore, Mo.

FOR SALE—12 S. C. D. B. Leghorn roosters, one year old. Also cockrels and hens.—Mrs. Guy D. Aley, Maryville.

HORSES, CATTLE, SWINE 34

FOR SALE—Choice Duroc boars; yearling and spring pigs. Priced to sell.—Lawrence Ogden.

FOR SALE—Boars and Gilts. Purebred Chester Whites, vaccinated, $30.00 each before October 10.—E. O. Goodspeed, Maryville, Mo., Hanamo 60-XY.

FOR SALE—8 head of milk cows, 3 fresh. Both phones.—E. C. Moore, 1421 East First.

MERCHANDISE

ARTICLES FOR SALE 37

JUST ARRIVED—Gold Fish. We want 500 buyers.—Strader & Clapper, Sewing Machine Exchange.

FOR SALE—Hard coal burner. Cortland Howe ventilator. Good condition. Hanamo 4695.

FOR SALE—Automatic pump gun, 12 gauge.—Charles Hilsenbeck, Farmers 23-19.

THAT PIANO—Don't store it.—Let me keep it. References.—Call 160-G Democrat-Forum.

FOR SALE—Furniture. Blue Olsen rug, 11x14, nearly new; wool fibre rug, 12x15, 4 piece living room set, leather covered, consisting of settee, rocker, state chair and table; tables, chairs, carpets and linoleums and beds.—Wm. Doffing, 614 West Second. Call between 2 and 5 afternoons.

FOR SALE—Lefever double barrel shot gun. Never been used.—See Martin Lewis, jr.

FOR SALE—Kiefer pears, $1.00 bushel. Rol Evans, Arkoe phone, 6 miles South on paving.

FOR SALE—Sprayed apples. Jonathan and Arkansas Black, $1.50 per bushel. Gano, Ben Davis and Winesap, $1.00. Sweet cider 25c per gallon at orchard. Sam Dempsey, 3 miles West, 2½ South of Maryville.

Look
You can still buy Apples at the
Grigsby Orchard
Skidmore, Mo.
Delicious, Jonathan and all winter varieties.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS 37-b

FOR SALE—14-inch heater, good condition. Used two years.—Inquire at this office or call Farmers 285 after 6 o'clock.

RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

HOUSES FOR RENT 42

FOR RENT—Modern dwelling home.—R. L. McDougal.

FOR RENT—8 room house, with bath. Close in.—Hanamo 152.

ROOMS FOR RENT 43

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Block east of Post Office.—Glover & Alexander.

WANTED—TO RENT 44

COLLEGE Man wants room mate with light housekeeping privileges.—410 West 3rd.

FARMS AND LAND FOR SALE 46

SUBURBAN tract for sale or trade. Would consider small city property. John Graves, Farmers 76-12.

READ For used cars WANT ADS

Burlington Junction

J. Howard Thompson, Correspondent.

Mrs. Henry Huston of Clearmont is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stitts since Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Ella Farrell has returned to her work in St. Louis after a delightful ten days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Farrell. She has a position with the Community Power and Light Company of that city.

Rev. J. Howard Thompson was a business visitor in Clarinda Wednesday of this week. While in the Iowa city he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis were former residents of Burlington Junction.

Mrs. Fanny Conway of Moline, Ill., stopped in Burlington Junction a few days on her way from eastern Colorado and western Nebraska, where she had been visiting relatives, to visit her sister here, Mrs. Arch Jones. She came Sunday morning and left Wednesday afternoon for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones have moved from the Holmes Yates property in the extreme east part of town to the Mel Corken property, on the boulevard just east of the business section of the city. Mr. Jones is one of the rural mail carriers from the post office.

Judge Charles Walker with his wife and Mrs. Walker's sister, Mrs. R. H. Rees were in Nebraska City, Neb., last Wednesday, attending the funeral services for J. H. Northcut. Mr. Northcut was an uncle to the two ladies. He was past 95 years of age.

The doctors are having a very hard time these days in attending to their work and making their necessary calls upon the sick on account of the almost impassable condition of the roads. There are many places on the lowlands which are impossible to go through without help.

George Pat Wright, the efficient prosecutor for Nodaway County, was in town on Wednesday of this week, interviewing his friends, and strengthening his political fences. He has a very commendable record in office and it is to be hoped that he may be returned for another term of two years.

The City Meat and Grocery Market has again changed hands. W. E. Draper of Red Oak, Ia., is the new owner, he having purchased the business last Saturday of H. A. Dalby. Howard Kaufman and Dale Jones, the present manager and clerk, will continue to manage the business for the time being at least.

The Standard Oil Company has been placing new oil pumps in a number of places in town this week. One was placed in front of the Miller Tire Shop, and another in front of the Gardner Produce Company's business. These pumps are of the latest design, and attractive. The local agent for the company, Carl Gardner, has increased the company's business considerably since he has been in charge.

Highway number 18, west of town across the Nodaway river bottom, is yet impassable. Patrolman Lester Crane has a force of men this Friday morning on the job, hoping to put it in shape to at least make it passable. The detour sign west of town have been removed, and the department ceases all responsibility in keeping up such byroads as was necessary to get around the worst places. For more than two weeks the territory west of the river has been shut away from town. A voluntary fund in Burlington Junction has been raised to assist in the work of repair.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will meet at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Graves, one mile east of town, next Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Leon Severs and Mrs. Kenneth Fordyce will be assistant hostesses. A large attendance is expected.

Being in a great agricultural section of the country, with a bumper crop ready to harvest within a few weeks, why would it not be a fine thing to put on a stock and corn show in Burlington Junction. We have everything necessary, and why not do it. It would bring a great number of people to town. Think it over, enterprising citizen, and see if something along that line could not be done, to arouse great interest in our community.

As a result of a lawsuit held last week in which the City was interested that we had in which it was discovered that we had no street commissioner, Vera Dolph was duly appointed and given the oath of office at the town board meeting last Monday night. We therefore will have no further embarrassment along that line.

Mrs. Sara Wolcott of Kansas City has been in the community visiting several days. During her stay in the community, she has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cochran east of town, and George Westfall and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Presley Neff, southwest of town. Mrs. Wolcott was a former resident of this community, and has many friends here. Mr. Wolcott died last March and was buried here in the Ohio cemetery.

Master Howard Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Miller had a recent birthday. It was his fifth, and as a result Mrs. Miller planned and successfully carried out a party in honor of the occasion. The guests were Betty Lou Byers, Iola and Viola Graves, Earlene Wallace, Mildred Charlene Williams, Alice Louise Houston, Dorothy Dee Weable, Bessie Reed, Roy Sims, jr., Thomas Lee Yaple, Vilas Walker, Mrs. Miles Graves, Mrs. L. E. Wallace, and Mrs. Frank Walker. Howard was the recipient of many beautiful presents. All report a most delightful time.

The two churches of town are stressing the Sunday school work this year, and the results are already showing favorable. The interest is being intensified, and more students are coming. Burlington Junction, like all other communities, has a number of people who do not attend church and Sunday school, and these are being tried to be influenced to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Fast in company with Mrs. Mary Coile, and daughter, Dorothy, were in Mound City last Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pence. Mr. Fast is Ford salesman for Mr. Pence who has the Ford business here and in Mound City.

The high school basketball season is on in full power, and a number of games have been played. Burlington Junction has two teams, one for boys and one for girls. The boys have not yet been defeated, and the girls have lost but one game to date.

Bill Ding says:

After all—

The biggest dividends this world affords are

Health and happiness.
The right sort of a home.
Carefully planned to fill your individual requirements.

Returns more dividends
In health and happiness
Than any other invesment.

We take pride in our understanding service to home builders.

Maryville Lumber Co.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 2,500; market steady.
Top, $13.70; bulk, $13.10 to $13.60.

Cattle.

Receipts 100; market nominal.

Sheep.

Receipts 2,000; market steady.
Lambs $11.75 to $12.75.
Ewes $5.50 to $6.50.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 4,500; market steady to 15c up.

Cattle.

Receipts 750; market weak.

Sheep.

Receipts 1,000; market steady to weak.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 3,000; market steady.

Cattle.

Receipts 400; market steady.

Sheep

Receipts none; market nominal.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 3,000; market steady.

Cattle

Receipts 500; market 15c to 40c up.

Sheep.

Receipts 2,000; market steady.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 1,000; market strong. Bulk $13 to $13.60.
Butchers $13.15 to $13.70.
Heavies $12.60 to $13.50.
Lights $12.85 to $13.35.
Pigs $13 to $13.50.

Cattle

Receipts 500; market steady.
Prime fed steers $10.50 to $12.15.
Dressed beef steers $7.25 to $10.50.
Western steers $7 to $10.75.
Southern steers $5.75 to $8.75.
Cows $3.60 to $7.25.
Heifers $5.50 to $10.
Stockers and feeders $5.50 to $8.50.
Bulls $4.25 to $5.50.

Sheep.

Calves $6 to $14.
Receipts 500; market steady.
Spring lambs $12.25 to $13.
Yearlings $9.25 to $10.75.
Ewes $4.50 to $6.50.
Wethers $7 to $8.
Stockers and feeders $12 to $12.50.

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, $1.40¼; No. 2 hard, $1.44 to $1.45½; No. 3 hard, $1.40.
CORN—No. 2 yellow, 80½c to 81½c; No. 3 yellow, 79c to 80¼c; No. 2 mixed, 80½c to 81c; No. 2 white, 81½c; No. 3 white, 78½c to 80c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 46c to 47c.
HAY—Timothy, $5.25 to $5.75; clover, $27.50 to $33.75.
BARLEY—60c to 75c.

Chicago Grain Table.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
Dec.	1.41¾	1.41⅞	1.40¼	1.40⅜	1.41¼
May	1.46¼	1.46⅝	1.45⅛	1.45⅛	1.46¼
CORN—					
Dec.	.80⅝	.82⅜	.80⅝	.81¾	.79¾
May	.87½	.89¼	.87½	.88⅝	.86⅞

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—108 cars; hard, unchanged to ½c lower; red, unchanged to ½c lower; No. 2 hard, $1.37 to $1.42½; No. 3 hard, $1.36 to $1.41½; No. 2 red, $1.36 to $1.37; No. 3 red, $1.33 to $1.36.
CORN—19 cars; market unchanged to 1c higher; No. 2 mixed, 79c to 79½c; No. 3 mixed, 77½c to 78½c; No. 2 yellow, 80c to 81; No. 2 white, 80c to 82c.
OATS—3 cars; market ½c higher; No. 2 white, 45c to 47c.
RYE—No. 2, 92c.
HAY—Prairie, choice, $14.50 to $16; timothy, No. 1, $16 to $17; alfalfa, choice, $21 to $22.
Eggs, 37c; selected, 41c; butter, 45c to 46c; packing, 23c; hens, 23c; turkeys and young toms, 33c; broilers, 25c; ducks, 23c; geese, 10c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, Oct. 2.—Wheat weakened late in the session today while corn showed remarkable strength on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Trading in the wheat pit was rather dull. Strong Liverpool cables and good buying by foreigners and locals gave it a strong tone.

Export business was estimated around 300,000 bushels. Cash prices generally were about a cent lower.

Corn had a good upturn late in the session on buying by commission houses and local professionals. Cash prices were unchanged to 1 cent higher for good grain, while futures were 1¼ cent higher than yesterday.

Oats was a dull affair during the short session. There was no change in cash values while futures closed unchanged to ⅛ cent higher.

A short break in cottonseed oil was reflected in the provisions market which closed lower.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Cream, per lb.	40c
Eggs, per doz.	32c
Hens, heavy, per lb.	18c
Hens, light, per lb.	14c
Springs, heavy, per lb.	17c
Cocks, per lb.	8c
Springs, light, per. lb.	14c

Mr. and Mrs. John Houston were host and hostess to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nelson of Parnell last Sunday. Mrs. Houston is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson.

Mrs. Fred Greeneish has returned to her home in California, after spending the summer with friends and relatives here. She formerly lived in Burlington Junction and contemplating making her home permanently in the western state, recently disposed of her household effects by public auction, and will rent her home here. Her many friends here regret her going away. She went by way of Riverton, Ia., for a few days visit before going West.

This Friday morning is the first for some days when the prospect for settled weather seems good. The citizens are rejoicing over the warm, drying sunshine. We hope it may continue, and that the roads e'er long may be put in first class shape again.

HARTNESS MILK IS HEALTH MILK
Hanamo 246.
VIRGIL HARTNESS.

T-GRIP TIRE CHAINS
Be Safe Be Secure
Barmann Auto Co.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Human After All

ANNIE, DO YOU SUPPOSE YOU CAN EVER FORGIVE ME FOR THE WAY I USED TO TREAT YOU?
AW, THAT'S ALL RIGHT, MRS. WARBUCKS- "DADDY" USED TO SAY YOU DIDN'T MEAN IT- THAT YOU WEREN'T YOURSELF-
I WASN'T, - ANNIE - THAT'S TRUE - I WAS A MEAN, UNREASONING FOOL-
AW, YOU HAD A LOT TO WORRY ABOUT, I GUESS- JUST FORGET ABOUT IT- YOU'RE SWELL NOW-
DO YOU REMEMBER, ANNIE ONE TIME YOU CALLED ME "MOTHER"? I THOUGHT IT WAS FUNNY THEN- I'D GIVE ANYTHING IN THE WORLD IF YOU'D CALL ME THAT NOW-
"MOTHER"- GEE- I NEVER HAD A MOTHER BUT I'VE ALWAYS WISHED--- GEE---"MOTHER"--
HEY! DON'T CRY-
OH, YOU DARLING-
HAROLD GRAY
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.; Copyright, 1926, by The Chicago Tribune

DUROCS
AT PRIVATE SALE

A. B.'s Colonel 560179, a son of Great Colonel 469689—the Boar of McKee Brothers of Creston, Iowa.

I purchased this good Boar last fall, and my entire pig crop is sired by him. New blood for my old customers, and a look will convince the critic or lover of good hogs.

Phone Farmers 1-13 Maryville.
A. B. Dowden

Graphic Review of Recent News Events

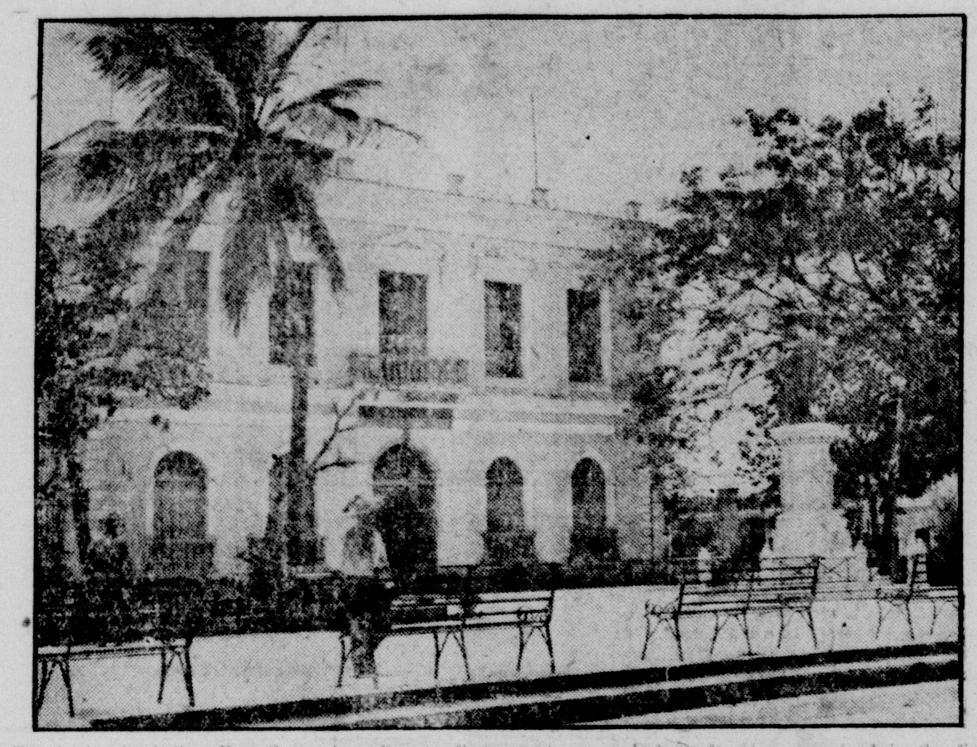
How did Mary Magdalene dress? Cecil De Mille, movie producer, has undertaken to answer that question. This shows Jacqueline Logan as she will appear in the role of the Magdalene in a forthcoming De Mille picture.

THE DRAWING ROOM

THE DINING ROOM

Two rooms of the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford at Dearborn, Mich., are pictured here. This is the first time that camera views of the home's interior have been presented to newspaper readers. Nearly all of the furnishings are of early American or English Design.

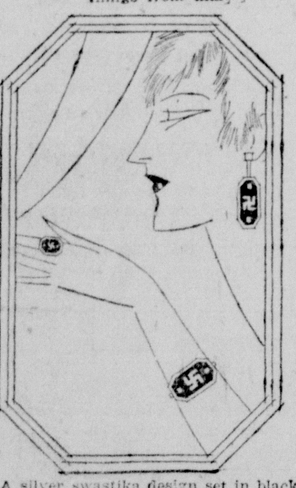
Exhausted by their efforts to tunnel through tons of fallen rock to reach the 43 miners entombed alive far below the surface, rescue crews are drawn to the surface at the Pabst mine shaft, Ironwood, Mich. This shows one detail coming out of the shaft after being relieved.



This is the city hall at Vera Cruz. According to first reports, several feet of water now stand in the first floor of the building.

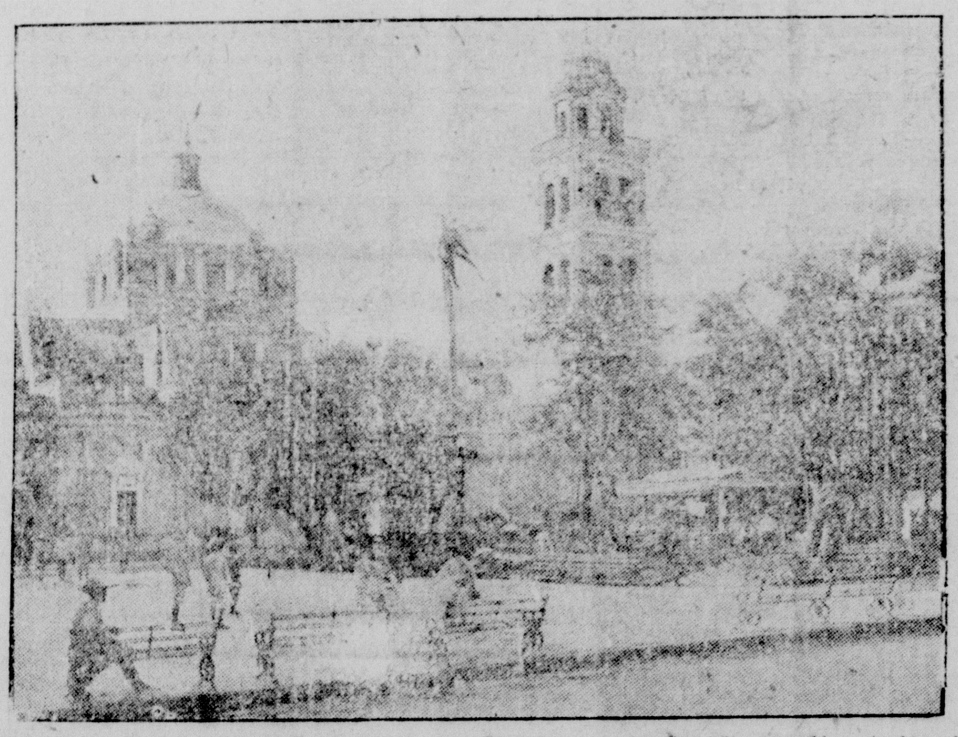
This photo shows Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, mother of Aimee Semple McPherson, Los Angeles evangelist, as she looked just after her arrest on a charge of conspiring to produce false evidence in connection with the evangelist's "kidnapping" two months ago.

This is a cold, calloused age, but it has its kind hearts, at that. A burglar climbed through the window of Mrs. Nettie Jablonow's house in St. Louis one night, waking her up. Instead of yelling for the cops she listened to his story of being down and out, gave him $14 and let him escape by way of the kitchen, where he fixed himself a 2 a. m. breakfast. He thanked her very kindly.

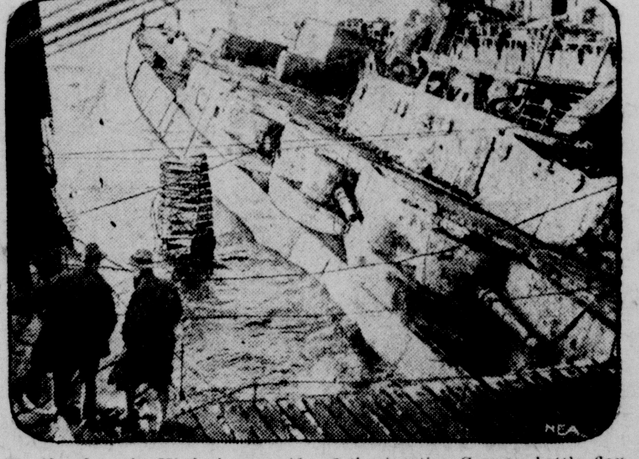


A silver swastika design set in black enamel makes this unusual sport set of earrings, bracelet and ring.

Loss of one arm failed to deter Harland Eastwood, student at Galileo high school, San Francisco, from going out for football this year, and he promises to develop into the scrappiest quarterback the school has had in seasons. He already has played one year with Queen Anne high, Seattle. Galileo expects great things from him.

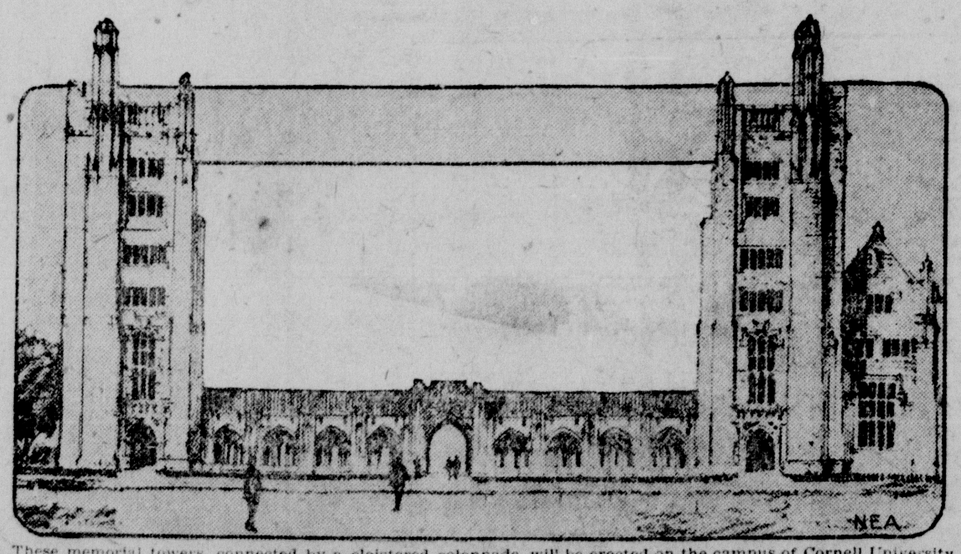


Every Mexican city has its plaza. Here is the plaza at Vera Cruz, now inundated by water blown in from the gulf by a hurricane, which took a heavy toll of life and property in the Mexican seaport. In the background is the beautiful Cathedral of Vera Cruz.



The dreadnaught Hindenburg, pride of the inactive German battle fleet during the World War, is afloat again after lying on the bottom for seven years—ever since it was scuttled with the rest of the surrendered fleet at Scapa Flow. This picture shows the ship just after British salvage workers had brought it to the surface.

Presenting Hugh Carpenter, 16-year-old Dallas (Tex.) lad, who recently broke all records for Dallas golf courses by shooting an amazing 62 on the links at Stevens park. This is one of the most difficult courses in Texas. Carpenter is considered a rising star in golfdom. He has been playing the game four years.



These memorial towers, connected by a cloistered colonnade, will be erected on the campus of Cornell University at Ithaca, N. Y., as a memorial to the 260 Cornell men who were killed during the World War. The cloister will contain memorial tablets to each of the dead heroes.

Tense action is portrayed in this photograph, which shows Miss Adelskold of Sweden making a javelin toss at the women's Olympic games at Gothenburg, Sweden, recently. The young lady not only won the event but was one of the outstanding stars of the meet.

Activities of China's Reds are causing statesmen of various European countries to sprout new gray hairs daily, and this gentleman is responsible for most of the fuss. He's General Chang Kai Shek, commander of the Chinese Red army. This is a new and exclusive picture of him.

Iowa raises lots of corn, and her farmers insist on harvesting it no matter what happens. So when the Skunk River flooded some 10,000 acres of corn land near Fort Madison, Ia., the farmers rowed through their fields in boats and harvested all the corn that was above water.